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UNITED STATES
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20545

JAN 19 1967

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PERSONNEL SECURITY QUESTIONNAIRE

INSTRUCTIONS—All sections must be completed. Write "None" when applicable. Type or print all answers. If space is not adequate for complete answers, use the additional space provided under Item No. 27. All addresses must show street number, street, city, and State.

1. NAME (Last, first, middle) REAGAN, Ronald Wilson		5. DESCRIPTION				
		MALE OR FEMALE	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	COLOR EYES	COLOR HAIR
		Male	6'1"	180	Blue	Brown
2. ALL OTHER NAMES (Include maiden name, if married woman) None		6. (Check which) <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW (ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED (DATE & PLACE OF DIVORCE) Santa Monica, Cal. 1949		7. BIRTH MONTH DAY YEAR Feb. 6 1911		
3. PRESENT RESIDENCE (Street and Number, City and State) Feb. 1957 1669 San Onofre Pacific Palisades, Calif.		8. BIRTHPLACE (City, county, State, and country) Tampico (Whiteside Co.) Ill. USA				
4. ALL OTHER RESIDENCES FOR PAST 15 YEARS DATES 1952-1957 1258 Amalfi Dr. Pacific Palisades, Calif.		9. CITIZENSHIP: U. S. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALIEN <input type="checkbox"/>				
		A. IF U.S. CITIZEN, INDICATE WHETHER:				
		(1) BY BIRTH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		(3) BY NATURALIZATION <input type="checkbox"/>		
		(2) DERIVATIVE <input type="checkbox"/>		ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.		
		DATE		PETITION NO.		
		CERTIFICATE NO.		DATE		
		PLACE		CERTIFICATE NO.		
				PLACE		
		B. IF ALIEN, INDICATE:				
		(1) ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.		(2) PRESENT CITIZENSHIP		
		(3) DATE OF ENTRY		(4) PORT OF ENTRY		
		10. DRAFT BOARD NUMBER AND ADDRESS			11. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. 480-07-7456	
		12. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)				
		SERIAL NOS.	BRANCH	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)	
		0357403	U.S. Army	1942	1946	
		CIA CSC HCUA				
13. EDUCATION (All schools above elementary)		passport file reviewed				
NAME OF SCHOOL	ADDRESS	FROM (Yr.)	TO (Yr.)	DEGREES		
Dixon High School	Dixon, Ill.	1924	1928			
Eureka College	Eureka, Ill.	1928	1932	A.B.		
14. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (Since 1930) (Exclusive of military service)						
COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE			
England and France	Nov. 1948	March 1949	Appear in Motion Picture			
NINE						
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Appear in Motion Picture

NINE

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1937-50	Warner Bros. Studio	Actor	Des Moines, Iowa	Became Free Lance Actor
1952-60	Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborne Adv. Agency	Program Supervisor	Burbank, Calif.	Show dis-
1962-63	Universal Studios	G.E. TV Theatre	Los Angeles, Calif.	continued
1964-65	U. S. Borax	Actor	Studio City, Calif.	Other employ-
			Los Angeles, Calif.	ment
				Quit to enter politics

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16. ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP (Include all present membership and all past membership during the last 15 years in all organizations, except labor unions and religious organizations not covered by Question 17 below.)

NAME	ADDRESS	TYPE	FROM-	TO-	OFFICE HELD
Tau Kappa Epsilon	Eureka, Ill.	Fraternity	1929		None
Friars Club	Los Angeles, Calif.	Prof. Club	1950		BD of Dir.

17. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF ANY ORGANIZATION WHICH HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL AS REQUIRED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 10450? (For your convenience, there is attached to this questionnaire as Appendix A, the current list of such organizations. Appendix A is hereby made an integral part of this Personnel Security Questionnaire.)

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

18. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

19. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF A FASCIST ORGANIZATION?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

20. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

21. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 17, 18, 19, OR 20 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE BELOW, UNDER ITEM NO. 27, OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AN ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION, THE NAME OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME	ADDRESS	FROM-	TO-	OFFICE HELD
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22. RELATIVES (Parents, stepparents, foster parents, and spouse, spouses, children, stepchildren, brothers, sisters, stepbrothers, stepsisters, halfbrothers, halfsisters, father-in-law, and mother-in-law, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If spouse is an alien or if you marry subsequent to the execution of this questionnaire, it will be necessary that data concerning your spouse be furnished on Form AEC-354.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	AGE	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
Ex-wife	Jane Wyman		Beverly Hills, Calif.	U.S.	U.S.
Wife	Nancy Davis Reagan	43	1669 San Onofre Pacific Palisades, Calif.	U.S.	U.S.
Daughter	Maureen Reagan Sills	25	134 So. Magnolia Anaheim, Calif.	U.S.	U.S.
Daughter	Patricia Ann Reagan	14	1669 San Onofre Pacific Palisades, Calif. ^{B. APPROX. 1953}	U.S.	U.S.
Son	Ronald Prescott Reagan	8	1669 San Onofre Pacific Palisades, Calif. ^{B. APPROX. 1959}	U.S.	U.S.
Son	Michael Edward Reagan	21	12010 Cometa San Fernando, Calif.	U.S.	U.S.

23. REFERENCES (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are well acquainted with you)

NAME IN FULL	BUSINESS AND HOME ADDRESS	YEARS KNOWN
Mr. Holmes Tuttle	637 S. Hudson Los Angeles, Calif.	20
Mr. Samuel Harrod	Eureka, Ill.	34
Sen. George Murphy	Home - 807 No. Rodeo Bev. Hills, Calif. Bus. - Senate Office Bldg. Wash. D.C.	28

24. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, CHARGED, OR HELD BY FEDERAL, STATE, OR, OTHER LAW-ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITIES FOR ANY VIOLATION OF ANY FEDERAL LAW, STATE LAW, COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL LAW, REGULATION, OR ORDINANCE? DO NOT INCLUDE ANYTHING THAT HAPPENED BEFORE YOUR 16TH BIRTHDAY. DO NOT INCLUDE TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS FOR WHICH A FINE OF \$25 OR LESS WAS IMPOSED. ALL OTHER CHARGES MUST BE INCLUDED EVEN IF THEY WERE DISMISSED.

If your answer is, "Yes," give in item 25 for each case:

(A) approximate date, (B) charge, (C) place, (D) action taken

Answer "Yes" or "No"

25. ARRESTS (Include all arrests and fines other than minor traffic violations)

A. DATE	B. CHARGE	C. PLACE WHERE ARRESTED AND NAME OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY	D. ACTION TAKEN
		Ronald Reagan-1327	

26. PREVIOUS SECURITY CLEARANCE OR ACCESS AUTHORIZATION:

A. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE HAVE YOU EVER BEEN INVESTIGATED BY ANY BRANCH OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT?

Yes
Answer "Yes" or "No"

B. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE HAVE YOU EVER BEEN REFUSED CLEARANCE OR ACCESS AUTHORIZATION BY ANY BRANCH OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT?

No
Answer "Yes" or "No"

If your answer to either question A. or B. is "Yes," please furnish details.

CERTIFICATION

I HAVE READ ALL OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS AND REVIEWED THE LIST OF ORGANIZATIONS SET FORTH IN APPENDIX A HEREOF. I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN ANSWER TO THESE QUESTIONS IS CORRECT AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND I UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE IN THE CONSIDERATION OF MY ELIGIBILITY FOR SECURITY CLEARANCE OR ACCESS AUTHORIZATION. I MAKE THIS STATEMENT TO THE U. S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT IT WILL BE USED BY THE COMMISSION IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTY TO PROTECT THE SECURITY OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROJECT, AND WITH KNOWLEDGE THAT ANY FALSE STATEMENT OR OMISSION OF MATERIAL FACT MAY BE SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF MY APPLICATION OR DISMISSAL AFTER EMPLOYMENT; FURTHER, THAT ANY FALSE STATEMENT HEREIN MAY BE PUNISHED AS A FELONY UNDER SECTION 1001, TITLE 18, U. S. CODE.

December 18, 1966

Los Angeles, California

(USUAL SIGNATURE OF PERSON FILLING OUT QUESTIONNAIRE) (Sign original only)

(DATE AND PLACE WHERE SIGNED)

TO BE FILLED OUT BY AGENCY OR FIRM EMPLOYING

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES (Description should not reveal classified information)

President of The Regents of the University of California

CA-B-1

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY S. FILIPPONE

for Earl C. Bolton

Vice President - Governmental Relations

(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF OFFICIAL REQUESTING CLEARANCE OR ACCESS AUTHORIZATION)

NAME OF AGENCY OR FIRM

The Regents of the University of California

ADDRESS

2200 University Avenue
Berkeley, California 94720

WILL PERSON HAVE ACCESS TO:

RESTRICTED DATA ☒ YES ☐ NO

EXCLUSION AREA ☒ YES ☐ NO

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gale

FROM : W. V. Cleveland

SUBJECT: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

DATE: 1-18-67

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This is to advise the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) has requested a background investigation of Reagan, present Governor of California. As Governor he becomes a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California, which position has been classified "highly sensitive" by the AEC. Governor Reagan as a member of the Board of Regents will have access to highly sensitive restricted data. The Atomic Energy Act of 1954 requires the Bureau to conduct a full investigation where such access is involved.

As you will recall, the Bureau conducted a full background investigation concerning former Governor Edmund Gerald Brown in May, 1960, when he likewise became a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California.

Bureau files disclose that we have never investigated Governor Reagan; however, our files do contain numerous references to him, primarily concerning his anticommunist activities in various Hollywood, California, organizations. Reagan has spoken in various parts of the country on the evils of communism and was a friendly witness before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in October, 1947. Although he has been extremely anticommunist since the mid 1940's, he was reportedly a sponsor of the Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy, which is listed in the "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" prepared by the House Committee on Un-American Activities. He was reportedly a member of Americans for Democratic Action and American Veterans Committee in the 1940's. In 1950 it was reported he had been active in the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions but got out in 1945 when the communists took over.

In March, 1960, we cooperated with Governor Reagan in making inquiries here in Washington, D. C., regarding his daughter, Maureen Reagan, who had been living with a married metropolitan

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Wick
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. Cleveland
1 - Mr. Thompson, 932 9th & D
1 - Mr. Holroyd

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Memorandum to Mr. Gale
Re: RONALD WILSON REAGAN

police officer in Washington, D. C. The Director invited Governor Reagan to call upon the FBI for assistance in matters of mutual interest. By letter 11-9-66 the Director extended his congratulations to Governor Reagan on his election.

Memorandum dated 1-17-67 from Mr. Sullivan to Mr. DeLoach captioned "Student Agitation, University of California, Berkeley, California, Information Concerning (Internal Security)" advised that Governor Reagan would be grateful for any information known to the Bureau concerning plans for future demonstrations to be held on the campus of the University of California at Berkeley, California, and any information of a subversive nature concerning Clark Kerr, President of the University of California. The Director approved that SAC Lynam should furnish Governor Reagan only information developed regarding plans for future demonstrations on the Berkeley campus or at Governor Reagan's press conferences and that we confidentially advise him that we have no pertinent information concerning Clark Kerr or the Board of Regents of the University of California.

ACTION: If you approve, the SAC at San Francisco will be instructed to personally advise Governor Reagan of the reason for the investigation and the fact that it is being conducted at the request of the AEC. Experienced Agents will be assigned to conduct the inquiries and, in view of Governor Reagan's prominence, no neighborhood investigation will be conducted. The field office will be specifically instructed not to conduct any interviews on the university campuses. All persons interviewed will be told investigation is being conducted at request of the AEC.

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To: SACs, Los Angeles - Enc.
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From: Director, FBI

RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA 32055
AEAA
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The Atomic Energy Commission has requested a background investigation concerning Governor Reagan in view of the fact he will have access to highly sensitive restricted data as a result of a position on the Board of Regents of the University of California. The AE Act of 1954 requires full investigation where such access is involved. See Section 19, Volume II, Manual of Instructions; Chapter 78, Part III, FBI Handbook. This case must be assigned immediately to experienced Agents and a completed investigation submitted to reach the Bureau without fail by 2/6/67.

Governor Reagan was born 2/6/11, Santa Monica, California. He presently resides 1669, San Onofre, Pacific Palisades, California. Social Security number 480-07-7456.

SAN FRANCISCO: SAC San Francisco is instructed to personally call upon Governor Reagan and confidentially advise him of the reason for the investigation and the fact that this investigation is being conducted at the request of the AEC. Attempt to tactfully ascertain identity of Governor Reagan's parents and set out leads, if necessary, for appropriate checks.

ALL OFFICES: In view of Governor Reagan's prominence, no neighborhood investigations are to be conducted without Bureau

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Re: RONALD WILSON REAGAN

authority. Likewise, no interviews are to be conducted on any university campus. Permission granted to verify Reagan's attendance and degree at Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, through check of records. All persons interviewed are to be informed the investigation is being conducted at the request of AEC. Handle as expeditiously as possible in view of short deadline and utilize teletypes to set out leads where necessary.

OMAHA: Employment - 1932-37, Central Broadcasting Company, sports announcer, Davenport and Des Moines, Iowa.

CHICAGO: Education - 1924-28, Dixon High School, Dixon, Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD: Education - 1928-32, Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, A.B. degree. Reference - Samuel Harrod, Eureka, Illinois, years known 34.

WASHINGTON FIELD: Permission granted to interview Senator George Murphy of California as a reference.

Ronald Reagan-1337

(Mount Clipping in Space Below)

TIMES EDITORIALS**Reagan Takes the Helm**

Gov. Reagan charted a provocative new course for state government in his inaugural address.

There is much to applaud in the philosophy of his administration and the direction it intends to take in certain areas. Details must still be filled in, however, on many items in his program and it remains to be seen how they will, or if they can, be implemented.

Reagan devoted much of his message to the grave fiscal plight of the state, noting that a new budget held at the same level as the present one, plus "absolutely essential" property tax relief, could produce a \$750 million deficit.

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"The time has come," the governor said, "for us to decide whether collectively we can afford anything and everything we think of simply because we think of it. The time has come to run a check and see if all the services government provides are in answer to demands, or just goodies dreamed up for our supposed betterment. The time has come to match outgo to income, instead of always doing it the other way round.

"We are going to squeeze and cut and trim until we reduce the cost of government . . . and it will involve every department of government."

That is a laudable goal. But to all practical purposes, unless new legislation is enacted, the fact is that only about one-third of the budget is controllable. That one-third covers the University of California, state colleges, institutions and governmental operating costs. And that's where danger lies.

Although the governor did not mention it in his address, he is considering a 10% cut in university and state college budgets, plus \$400 tuition for the university and \$200 for state colleges.

That drastic change could gravely imperil the quality of higher education which Californians have come to expect. It does violence to the intent of the Master Plan for Higher Education. A 10% slash on top of heavy reductions already made by the Department of Finance could play havoc with operations. Tuition ought not to be used as an expedient for budget balancing, but if it is, then some way must be found to avoid penalizing deserving students who cannot afford the increased fees.

There is a strong possibility, moreover, that such a heavy tuition might force an increased load on junior colleges and thus materially boost local tax levels. This could vitiate the "absolutely essential" property tax relief Reagan calls for.

The proposal has a popular ring, but we suggest it has not been sufficiently thought out.

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Despite such special reservations, The Times commends the general tone of the new governor's message.

The "Creative Society" he proposes would turn away from the idea that government and those who serve in it are omnipotent. Government would lead but not rule, listen but not lecture. The emphasis will be on seeing that government does not encroach on freedom or assume power beyond that freely granted by the people.

That in itself indicates a refreshing change in administrative direction.

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Wick	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
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Mr. Tavel	_____
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1,500 at Valley State Rally Against Reagan

Gov. Reagan was hanged in effigy Friday at San Fernando Valley State College, where 1,500 students rallied against the governor's proposed tuition and budget cutting plans.

A dummy labeled "Ree-gin" was placed near an outdoor podium shortly before the rally started, but it was quickly removed by order of State-wide College Affairs Dean Thomas H. McGrath, a scheduled speaker at the rally.

Many students wore printed cards reading, "Our position, no tuition," as they gathered to hear a series of speakers denounce Reagan's proposal to institute tuition in the heretofore free state college and university systems and to slash school budgets 10%.

Student body presidents from Cal State L.A., Long Beach State, Cal Poly, San Bernardino State, Dominguez Hills, UCLA and Pierce Junior College appeared with Valley State President John Cagle.

A student carrying the effigy of Reagan said he represented the Students for a Democratic Society, a "New Leftist" group which has a chapter on campus. Cagle said he thought it more likely that fraternity men had con-

structed the dummy.

"We are opposed to this type of opposition," the student leader said.

As the crowd gathered, placards were seen with such slogans as "Keep Cal State Free" and "Recall Ronnie."

Officials speaking at the rally included Assemblyman Charles Warren (D-Los Angeles) head of the Democratic State Central Committee, and Mrs. Georgiana Hardy, a member of the Los Angeles Board of Education.

Warren said that if Reagan succeeds with his proposed 10% budget cuts for the 18 state colleges, he thinks the Legislature will be "compelled" to adopt tuition.

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. DeLoach _____
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On 1/24/67, Governor REAGAN was advised by SAC LYNUM that investigation was being conducted by the FBI at the request of the Atomic Energy Commission based on requirements of the Atomic Energy Act in view of his position as a Regent of the University of California.

Governor REAGAN at that time furnished the names of his parents, both of whom are deceased, as JOHN EDWARD REAGAN and NELLIE C. REAGAN.

In view of the short period of time since Governor REAGAN's inauguration, no investigation is being conducted at Sacramento, California, by the San Francisco Office UACB.

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN, ACAA, BUDED FEBRUARY SIX, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN. RE BUREAU AIRTEL JANUARY TWENTY LAST. PSQ NOTED EMPLOYMENT NINETEEN FIFTYTWO TO NINETEEN SIXTY AS PROGRAM SUPERVISOR, GENERAL ELECTRIC TV THEATER, LOS ANGELES, FOR BATTEN., BARTON, DURSTIN AND OSBORNE ADVERTISING AGENCY, AND TERMINATED BECAUSE SHOW DISCONTINUED. MR. JAMES R. SCHULE, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, THIS ADVERTISING COMPANY, TEMPORARILY IN LOS ANGELES, ADVISED ON JANUARY TWENTY SIX INSTANT THAT CONTRACT WITH APPLICANT HANDLED WITH NEW YORK OFFICE THIS COMPANY AND NO RECORD OR DETAILS RELATIONSHIP AT LOS ANGELES. MR. SCHULE ADVISED RECORDS EMPLOYMENT WOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE NEW YORK OFFICE THIS COMPANY THROUGH MR. RAY MC GOVERN, VICE PRESIDENT. MR. SCHULE INTERVIEWED RE APPLICANT. NEW YORK REVIEW RECORDS AND CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INTERVIEWS.

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GOVERNOR REAGAN BORN FEBRUARY SIX, NINETEEN ELEVEN,
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OF UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA. CASE MUST BE ASSIGNED
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SUBMITTED TO REACH THE BUREAU WITHOUT FAIL BY FEBRUARY SIX
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RE: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
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On 1/25/67 Mr. WALTER GLOVER, Director of Plant Security, Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc., 4000 Warner Boulevard, Burbank, California, was contacted for information concerning REAGAN and to request assistance in obtaining appropriate records to verify his employment at this studio. Mr. GLOVER advised that the office of Plant Security records contain no unfavorable information concerning the applicant. He said that he personally knew REAGAN when he was under contract as an actor with this studio. He also knew REAGAN's former wife, JANE WYMAN, who also formerly was under contract with this studio as an actress.

GLOVER said he has never heard anything unfavorable concerning REAGAN. He said REAGAN has always had the reputation of being a patriotic, loyal American. His character was above reproach. He always associated with reputable individuals. Mr. GLOVER knows of no organization affiliations other than motion picture groups.

Mr. GLOVER advised for the strictly confidential information of the FBI, it is his understanding the true reason REAGAN divorced JANE WYMAN was immorality on her part. He said Miss WYMAN had the reputation of promiscuity before, during and after her marriage to REAGAN. He said REAGAN "found out what his wife was" and divorced her for this reason.

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Mr. GLOVER said he does not want to be identified as the source of the above information; that he does not recall the source of the information; that he can add no further details and he would refuse to testify to the information.

The information furnished by GLOVER concerning the good character of REAGAN will be included in the report. The information furnished by GLOVER concerning JANE WYMAN will not be set forth in the report as it is unsubstantiated and not information from an original source. To set out this information might possibly disclose a source of this information. Mr. GLOVER is a valuable contact of the Los Angeles Office.

Because of Governor REAGAN's position, JANE WYMAN will not be interviewed, UACB.

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From: Director, FBI (116-460320)

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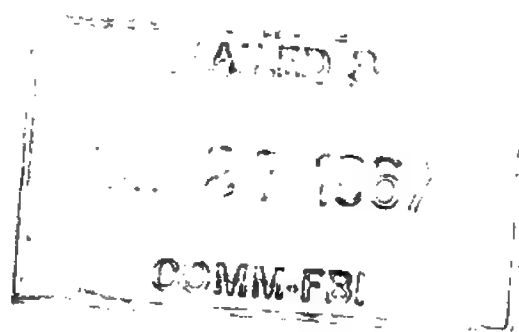
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report of Walter T. Gray dated 10/5/59. Include any
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Refer to urfile 100-23402, report of SA Leonard
Augustson dated 4/30/56. See page 3. 100-243438-14

See urfile 100-59001, your airtel dated 6/1/60
entitled "John Birch Society, Incorporated, Belmont,
Massachusetts, SM-X, CINAL." Attached to this airtel was
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FOR REAGAN: SUMMERS, TWENTYSEVEN TO THIRTYTWO, LOWELL PARK,
DIXON, ILL., AS LIFEGUARD.

FOLLOWING RELATIVES LISTED: JOHN EDWARD REAGAN, AKA JACK
REAGAN, FATHER, DECEASED; NELLE C. REAGAN, MOTHER, ONE ZERO
SEVEN MONROE AVE., DIXON, ILL. (NINETEEN THIRTYFIVE).

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RE BUREAU AIRTELS JANUARY TWENTY AND JANUARY TWENTY SEVEN LAST.

INFORMATION RETAIL MERCHANTS CREDIT ASSOCIATION, LOS ANGELES, INDICATES FEDERAL TAX LEIN DATED NOVEMBER ONE, FIFTY SEVEN, AT BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA, FOR RONALD W. REAGAN AND WIFE IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY FOUR THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED ELEVEN DOLLARS.

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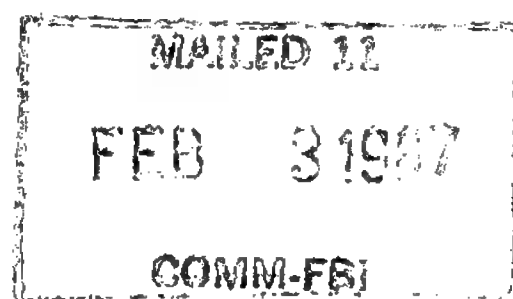
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TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA 32055		REPORT MADE BY IC WILLIAM J. EBERT	TYPED BY mck
		CHARACTER OF CASE AEA-A	

REFERENCES: Bureau airtel, 1/20/67.
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Report of: IC WILLIAM J. EBERT Office: ST. LOUIS
Date: February 2, 1967
Field Office File #: SL 116-170391 Bureau File #:
Title: RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA 32055

Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

Synopsis: Records, MPRC, St. Louis, Mo., revealed
RONALD WILSON REAGAN served in U.S. Army
Reserve and in U.S. Army. Received
honorable release from active duty.
Honorably discharged from Reserve, Add-
itional employment and relatives set forth.

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On January 30, 1967, a review of the military service records on file at the Military Personnel Records Center, revealed that RONALD WILSON REAGAN, enlisted in the United States Army Enlisted Reserve Corps, inactive, on April 29, 1937, at Des Moines, Iowa. No enlisted serial number was shown for REAGAN in the records. He served on inactive status until June 17, 1937, when he was separated as a Private to accept an appointment as an officer.

He was appointed on May 25, 1937, as a Second Lieutenant, Serial Number 0-357 403, in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States Army effective June 18, 1937, and entered on active duty on April 19, 1942, at Hollywood, California. He was honorably released from active duty on December 9, 1945, as a Captain, at Fort MacArthur, California, by reason of own request to return to essential industry. The records indicated he was on terminal leave from September 11, 1945 to December 9, 1945.

He served in the Officers Reserve Corps, inactive
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status, from June 18, 1937 to April 18, 1942, and from December 10, 1945 to April 1, 1953, at which time he was honorably discharged by operation of law.

His military occupation was shown as Adjutant and civilian occupation as motion picture actor. He had no foreign service and is entitled to wear the World War Two Victory Medal and the American Campaign Medal.

His character and efficiency ratings ranged from Excellent to Superior, and there was no record of courts-martial or absence without official leave.

The following additional employment was indicated in the records: Summers, 1927 to 1932, Lowell Park, Dixon, Illinois, as Lifeguard.

The following relatives were listed: JOHN EDWARD REAGAN, also known as JACK REAGAN, father, deceased; NELLE C. REAGAN, mother, 107 Monroe Avenue, Dixon, Illinois (1935).

The date and place of birth were shown as February 6, 1911, at Tampico, Illinois.

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 2/2/67	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/31/67
TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN CR-32055		REPORT MADE BY JOSEPH A. THIBAUT	
		CHARACTER OF CASE AEA-A	

REFERENCE:

Los Angeles teletype to Bureau and New York,
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Report of: JOSEPH A. THIBAUT
Date: 2/2/67

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CA 32055

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Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

Synopsis: Employment Batten, Barton, Durstin and Osborne
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habits and well respected. He is a person of good moral character; a devotedly loyal American who has good principles.

Mr. McCARTHY stated that Mr. REAGAN is a most reliable person and he would not hesitate in recommending him for any position of trust and confidence.

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DETAILS:

Employment

Batten, Barton, Durstin and Osborne,
Incorporated (BBDO)
383 Madison Avenue
New York, New York

The following investigation was conducted by SA
ALBERT FRANZ on January 31, 1967:

Mr. RAY McGOVERN, Vice President, advised that Mr. REAGAN was under contract from June 19, 1954, to June 24, 1961, as Program Supervisor for the General Electric (GE) Theatre. He believed Mr. REAGAN had been employed prior thereto, but this record is not readily available. He also stated Mr. REAGAN was under contract to the Reveue Studios, Los Angeles, which is now part of Universal Studios, from June 25, 1961, to September, 1962. That employment was also in connection with GE Programs.

He stated REAGAN's record is clear and he knew of nothing adverse concerning his character, reputation, loyalty or associates.

The only person he knew who would have been close to Mr. REAGAN was Mr. HERMINIO TRAVIESAS of the BBDO office at Hollywood, California.

Mr. McGOVERN further advised that he had checked with Mr. BARRY McCARTHY, a Director, who advised him that Mr. REAGAN began his employment in June, 1954.

Mr. BARRY McCARTHY, Director, advised that he was instrumental in bringing Mr. REAGAN to this organization since he was a very reputable public figure. He stated that he has not only been associated with Mr. REAGAN in business but was socially acquainted with him. He often visited at his home, finding him to be a good family man of sober

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA 32055		SA MARCUS E. SHARPE	drb
		CHARACTER OF CASE	
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REFERENCE :

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ADMINISTRATIVE DATA:

All persons interviewed as reflected in this report, were informed this investigation is being conducted at the request of the Atomic Energy Commission.

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Report of:
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FEBRUARY 2, 1967

Office: SPRINGFIELD

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN
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Character:

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Synopsis:

REAGAN attended Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, September 14, 1928 to June 7, 1932. On latter date, awarded A.B. degree after pursuing Liberal Arts Course with major in Economics and Sociology, achieving above average academic rank. Reference SAMUEL G. HARROD, JR., Attorney, Eureka, Illinois, highly recommends applicant for position of trust and responsibility as a loyal and patriotic citizen, of excellent character and associations. Files of Eureka Police Department, Woodford County Sheriff's Office at Eureka, and Credit Bureau of Greater Peoria, Peoria, Illinois, covering Woodford County, contained no references to REAGAN.

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DETAILS:

At Eureka and Peoria, Illinois

Investigation reported herein was conducted by SA MARCUS E. SHARPE on February 1, 1967.

Mrs. JANE ASHWORTH, Records Clerk, in the Office of Mr. GEORGE HEARNE, Registrar, Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, made available a record maintained in the Registrar's Office of Eureka College, in regard to a former student named RONALD WILSON REAGAN.

Mrs. ASHWORTH stated that this was the original transcript, and that there had never been a request for a transcript for this former student to be sent to any other university or college.

Mrs. ASHWORTH made available the original transcript of records reflecting that RONALD WILSON REAGAN, of 226 Lincoln Way, Dixon, Illinois, was enrolled as a Freshman student in the Liberal Arts Courses offered by Eureka College, on September 14, 1928. There was no indication of the date of this student's birth, nor was there an indication of the names of his parents.

There was an indication on the transcript that this student had graduated in 1928 from the North Dixon High School, Dixon, Illinois, and that he ranked in the middle third in his high school graduating class of among 70 students.

The transcript reveals that he had pursued a Liberal Arts Course for four years, majoring in Economics and Sociology, and by June 7, 1932, he had accumulated 129 semester hours of Liberal Arts credit with 173 grade

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points, or a 1.37 grade point over all average for the 129 semester hours.

Mrs. ASHWORTH stated that this would be a "C+" or almost a "B-" over all four year average for his academic achievement or somewhat better than an average academic achievement.

Mrs. ASHWORTH stated that this record reveals that REAGAN was awarded an A.B. degree by Eureka College on June 7, 1932.

She stated that there is no other record at the college regarding this former student, as to activities or as to his deportment stating that in the absence of any indication on his transcript, that he had been placed on any academic or other probation, and she could only conclude that this former student had never been the subject of any disciplinary action whatsoever.

Reference

Mr. SAMUEL G. HARROD, JR., Attorney at Law, who has offices at 106 $\frac{1}{2}$ East Center Street, Eureka, Illinois, advised that he has known Governor REAGAN since REAGAN entered Eureka College as a Freshman student in the Fall of 1928. He stated that he, himself was in the 8th or 9th grade, as he recalls, living across the street from the Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity House, when he became acquainted with REAGAN who had just moved into the "TKE" House, and lived there during the four years he attended college.

He stated that REAGAN was almost like a big brother to him, he taught him to swim, and helped him in many ways.

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Mr. HARROD stated that he had maintained close contact with Governor REAGAN ever since, mostly by correspondence. He stated that he has visited his home in California on four or five occasions, and on these occasions, met some prominent movie people who were friends of Governor REAGAN, including PAT O'BRIEN, JAMES CAGNEY, GEORGE BURNS, EDDIE ALBERT, and BURL IVES.

He stated that he has closely followed Governor REAGAN's Career in the movie industry and recently in his political career. He stated that he received a handwritten note from Governor REAGAN, wherein he was invited to visit Governor REAGAN and attend his recent inauguration.

In correspondence and personal contacts, he knows Governor REAGAN had his "hands full" for about seven years when Governor REAGAN was the president of the Screen Actor's Guild.

Mr. HARROD could only state that he felt REAGAN was fighting certain individuals in the movie industry, not only actors, but writers and directors and others involved in the movie-making industry, who were apparently known or believed by Governor REAGAN to hold sympathies for other than the best interest of our American way of life.

Mr. HARROD stated that he could only presume that Governor REAGAN was fighting what he, HARROD, presumed to be Communist infiltration of the industry.

Mr. HARROD stated that there would never be any doubt in his mind as to the sincere and complete loyalty and patriotism of Governor REAGAN to our form of Government. He stated that Governor REAGAN has always been well thought of by those who know him, and that he has always enjoyed a reputation for excellent moral character, and good associations.

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Mr. HARROD advised that he would highly recommend Governor REAGAN for a position of extreme trust and responsibility, in our Government.

Mr. HARROD concluded the interview by stating that he did want to mention that a very few months ago, a "long-haired" student from Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, was reportedly in Eureka, attempting to learn the participation of REAGAN, then a gubernatorial candidate, in an alleged "student strike" in Eureka College in 1928.

Mr. HARROD did not see this student, but only heard of the incident, and he did not know the identity of the student. He heard that the student was apparently attempting to go to all extremes in an effort to learn something of this.

Mr. HARROD stated that he could explain this to anyone.

He then said that when Governor REAGAN first entered Eureka College as a Freshman, being then probably only 17 or 18 years old, that at the very beginning of that school term, the then college president, President BERT WILSON, issued some proclamations which were almost 100 per cent disagreed with on the part of the faculty and students.

As he recalled, there were several proclamations, but that one of these was to the effect that there would be no social functions at the college, such as dances. Another thing that President WILSON also proclaimed, that he was changing the requirements for various academic courses which, if allowed to stand, would prohibit the then juniors and seniors from completing their Liberal Arts degree requirements as to majors and minors within the planned four years and that this would mean that the present juniors and seniors would not have earned their bachelors degrees within the planned four years providing

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these changes would stand.

Mr. HARROD stated that there was then a general "student strike." This strike was against the president and his proclamations.

Mr. HARROD stated that this happened early in the Fall term of 1928, right after Governor REAGAN appeared on the campus as a Freshman student.

He recalled that all students then in this "student strike" refused to attend classes. He stated that Governor REAGAN would have participated to the extent that he was one of the students, and that there was a 100 per cent participation in the student strike, and that Governor REAGAN, as a Freshman student, would have done as the other students did.

He stated that faculty members, almost 100 per cent were against the proclamations of the then college president, and that they advised all students that they would hold classes in the homes of the faculty members, and that the students could carry on their studies in this manner.

Mr. HARROD recalls that a majority of the 24 member board of trustees of the Eureka College met or at least conferred regarding this "student strike" which was beginning to pick up national publicity. President BERT WILSON was fired .

Mr. HARROD's father, who was then the academic Dean of Eureka College, was appointed as acting president of Eureka College, and he held this position for several months until a new college president was chosen and installed several months later.

Mr. HARROD stated that there was nothing reprehensible about this on the part of any student, that there was no subversive activity involved whatsoever.

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Mr. HARROD presumes that now , as this former student has achieved a position of some political prominence, there will be those who will attempt to dig in to history to learn of any derogatory information that could possibly be found regarding him.

Mr. HARROD stated that he knows of no derogatory information regarding Governor REAGAN, and that he knows Governor REAGAN to be a most loyal American citizen.

Criminal Record Check

At Eureka, Illinois

ORRIE GERBER, Chief, Eureka , Illinois Police Department, advised that there is no reference to RONALD WILSON REAGAN in the files of the Eureka Police Department.

Sheriff PAUL MEADER, Woodford County Sheriff's Office, Eureka, Illinois, advised that there is no reference to a RONALD WILSON REAGAN contained in the files of the Woodford County Sheriff's Office.

At Peoria, Illinois

Credit Record Check

Mrs. BETTY LOHMAN, Information Clerk, Credit Bureau of Greater Peoria, which agency covers adjacent Woodford County, advised that the files of her office contain no reference to a RONALD WILSON REAGAN born on February 6, 1911, and who resided in Eureka, Illinois from 1928 to 1932.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE OMAHA	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 2/2/67	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/27/67 - 1/31/67
TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA 32055		REPORT MADE BY TIMOTHY G. MC COLLUM	TYPED BY cmk
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Title: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA 32055

Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

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Synopsis: Employment application reflects that RONALD WILSON REAGAN was employed by the Central Broadcasting Company, Davenport, and Des Moines, Iowa, from February 10, 1933 - May 22, 1937, as a sports announcer. Former fellow employees at Davenport, Iowa, are all favorable in their remarks regarding REAGAN. Credit and criminal at Davenport, Iowa, negative. PAUL LOYET, Vice President, Palmer Broadcasting Company, Des Moines, Iowa, advised REAGAN employed with his company from February 10, 1933, - May 22, 1937. Nothing derogatory disclosed. LOYET recommends REAGAN in all respects. Credit and Criminal checks reflect no information identifiable with REAGAN.

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DETAILS:

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EMPLOYMENT

Doctor DAVID PALMER, President of Central Broadcasting Company, WOC-AM-FM-TV, 800 Brady Street, and president of Palmer College of Chiropractic, 1000 Brady Street, Davenport, Iowa, advised on January 27, 1967, that he remembers RONALD REAGAN, whom he calls "DUTCH", very well. Doctor PALMER stated that the two of them used to double date together when REAGAN was employed at the radio station in Davenport, Iowa. Doctor PALMER stated that, in fact, he gave REAGAN his first job as an announcer when he first came to Davenport, in approximately 1932, fresh out of college at Eureka, Illinois. Doctor PALMER stated that to the best of his memory RONALD REAGAN, known to his friends as "DUTCH", first came to Davenport, in approximately 1932 right after he graduated from Eureka

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College in Eureka, Illinois. He worked in Davenport as a sports announcer and then was transferred to WHO, Des Moines, Iowa, where he worked for approximately seven years. The two radio stations, WOC, in Davenport, and WHO, in Des Moines, were and still are operated by the same company. Doctor PALMER explained that when REAGAN came to Davenport, and while he worked in Davenport and in Des Moines, he was single, and consequently he and Doctor PALMER had a close social acquaintance together, in that they would often go out together and double date together.

Doctor PALMER described REAGAN as a great American, clean both morally and physically. He stated that his character and loyalty to the country were beyond reproach, and that there was nothing in his background, social habits, or financial handling of his affairs to indicate anything but a very fine person and a sincere American.

Doctor PALMER explained that the only two persons that he knows of that were working for the radio station in Davenport, when REAGAN worked there, and who are still working at the radio station, are Mr. BILL WAGNER and Miss LUCILE MAUGET. He stated that REAGAN's associates while he was in Davenport, were mostly other persons at the radio station. He does not believe that there is anyone left in the Davenport area that was associated with REAGAN while he worked at the radio station, with the exception of the above two persons. While REAGAN worked for WOC, in Davenport, he was a straight announcer. But after transferring to Des Moines, to WHO, he became a sports announcer. Doctor PALMER does not remember the exact period that REAGAN worked for the radio station, but believes he began work in about 1932 and continued for approximately ten years total, at the two radio stations.

Doctor PALMER remembers REAGAN belonging to no organizations while he was in Davenport, and knows of absolutely nothing that would reflect unfavorably upon his loyalty to the country.

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LUCILE MAUGET, Assistant Treasurer of Palmer Broadcasting Company, and secretary of Palmer College of Chiropractic, and Palmer Junior College, furnished the employment application for REAGAN reflecting the following information on January 30, 1967:

The application is titled "Application for Position, Central Broadcasting Company - Station WHO, Index number 480-07-7456, dated February 9, 1933." It is in the name of RONALD WILSON REAGAN, 400 Center Street, (no city or state given), date of birth February 6, 1911, at Tampico, Illinois. The application states that REAGAN resided in Des Moines, Iowa, for four years and in the state of Iowa for four years. His religious affiliation was the Christian church, and his fraternity, TAU KAPPA EPSILON. REAGAN is listed as single with no dependents, six foot 3/4 inch, 170 pounds, brown hair, green eyes. He is listed as owning his car, and having completed grade school, high school, and received an A. B. in Economics and Sociology at Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois. No other employers are listed and no references are given.

The application further reflects that REAGAN began employment for the Central Broadcasting Company on February 10, 1933, and terminated employment on May 22, 1937. His starting salary was \$100.00 per month, as of February 10, 1933, and was making \$325.00 per month as of March 1, 1936, and when he terminated employment. He was employed with the company in the program department as a sports announcer.

Miss MAUGET explained that at this time, when REAGAN was working for the Central Broadcasting Company, she was the company's cashier. The company was owned and operated at that time by Palmer College.

Miss MAUGET explained that no permanent employment records were kept for the company prior to 1932, and consequently she does not know for sure if the period February 9, 1933 to May 22, 1937, covers the entire period that RONALD REAGAN worked for the Central Broadcasting Company, or just the period that he worked for WHO in Des Moines, Iowa. She stated that while RONALD REAGAN worked for the company his brother, J. NEIL REAGAN, also worked for the Central Broadcasting Company from 1934, through 1940, as a radio announcer. When RONALD REAGAN

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first came to Davenport, and began employment with the Central Broadcasting Company, he had just completed his schooling at Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois. She remembers RONALD REAGAN quite well, and remembers that everyone at the station called him "DUTCH". She stated that she does not remember him working for the radio station, WOC, in Davenport, very long. He was a good worker, and must have been a very good announcer, or he would have not been transferred to the Des Moines, radio station, which was the larger of the two stations at that time. While he was in Davenport, he associated mostly with the other persons at the radio station. Miss MAUGET explained that there was a small crowd at WOC at that time, and everyone was very close and usually ran around together. She described REAGAN as an all-American boy type, very clean cut, and from a very good middle class family in Illinois. She stated that he always impressed her as being extremely honest and outward in his thoughts and actions. His character and loyalty to the country are unquestionable in her opinion. She stated that he never gave her or anyone else that she knows of any reason at all to question his loyalty to the country, while he worked for WOC in Davenport. She knows of no organizations that he belonged to while in Davenport, except for his college fraternity. He was very interested in sports, and as far as she knows, dated no one in particular while he was in Davenport. Miss MAUGET stated that she could think of absolutely nothing detrimental to say about RONALD REAGAN in any respect. She described him as a wonderful person and a fine American.

To the best of Miss MAUGET's knowledge, BILL WAGNER, who was auditor for the Central Broadcasting Company at the time RONALD REAGAN worked for the company, and Doctor DAVID PALMER, are the only persons in Davenport, outside of herself, who were employed at the radio station at the time REAGAN was employed. She stated that in addition to herself these two persons would probably be the only people in the area who would know or remember him. Miss MAUGET remembers that while REAGAN worked for WOC in Davenport, he lived at the Perry Street apartments, now known as the Vale apartments, Fourth and Perry Street, Davenport, Iowa. She remembers that he used to kid a lot about the apartments, about the maid service, and about how the beds would fold out of the wall. She stated that

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in fact he would joke and kid a lot with everyone about everything, and always seemed to be in very high spirits and full of life. She stated that he did have a roommate with him in the Perry Street apartment, but she has no idea who that was.

Miss MAUGET explained that after working for Central Broadcasting Company in Des Moines, for awhile, he was sent out to California, to cover the Chicago Cubs in spring training for the station. While out there, a girl from Des Moines, he knew who was in the movies got him a screen test for the movie studios. He passed it, and this ended his announcing career. Miss MAUGET did not know the name of the girl in the movies who got him this screen test.

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Mr. WILLIAM D. WAGNER, Vice President and Secretary of Palmer Broadcasting Company, 800 Brady Street, Davenport, Iowa, advised on January 30, 1967, that he remembers RONALD WILSON REAGAN, very well when he worked for the Central Broadcasting Company in Davenport, and Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. WAGNER explained that he was auditor of the company at that time, and used to go out with REAGAN whom he called "DUTCH", after the night's work was finished. To the best of Mr. WAGNER's memory, REAGAN began work for the Central Broadcasting Company in Davenport, Iowa, in approximately 1932 or 1933, and left the employment in approximately 1936 or 1937. Mr. WAGNER explained that the Central Broadcasting Company was founded in 1929, and bought WOC in Davenport, and WHO in Des Moines. While the station was known as WHO-WOC, "DUTCH" REAGAN was employed in Davenport as a sports announcer. Then all the studio operations for the radio station were transferred to the Des Moines, Iowa, station, in May, 1933. At that time, REAGAN was also transferred to Des Moines, and became the sports announcer for the station. All operations closed up in Davenport, except for the accounting office. Mr. WAGNER stated that REAGAN worked in Davenport for the Central Broadcasting Company for less than a year. He was single the entire time he worked for Central Broadcasting Company in both Davenport and Des Moines, Iowa.

Mr. WAGNER described REAGAN as a very capable sports announcer, and pointed out that his brother, J. NEIL REAGAN, also worked for the station during the approximate same period. When RONALD REAGAN left the employment of the station, in approximately 1936, or 1937, he went to California, and entered the movies.

Mr. WAGNER described REAGAN as a very eager young man in his work, and was fresh out of Eureka College, when he first began work for the station in Davenport, Iowa. He knows of absolutely nothing derogatory about REAGAN, and stated that his character and loyalty to this country were beyond reproach and unquestionable. Mr. WAGNER pointed out that REAGAN's brother, J. NEIL, first went to work to put RONALD REAGAN through college, and then RONALD went to work to put his brother through college. He stated that they were close family from around Dixon, Illinois. Both RONALD and his brother graduated from Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois. During the entire time that REAGAN worked for the

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Central Broadcasting Company, Mr. WAGNER stated that he did not say anything that would reflect unfavorably upon his character or his loyalty to his country.

REAGAN's close associates and friends were other person at the radio station. He was a very personable and well liked young man and consequently had no trouble in making friends with the other employees at the station. Mr. WAGNER knows of no organization that REAGAN belonged to while he worked for the company with the exception of the National Guard or Army Reserve. Mr. WAGNER believed that REAGAN was a member of either the National Guard or the Army Reserve, while he was employed with the station in Des Moines, Iowa.

Mr. WAGNER explained that in approximately 1936 or 1937, REAGAN went out to California to watch and cover the Chicago Cubs in spring training. While out there, some friends of REAGAN's who were in the movies, prevailed upon him to take a screen test. He did and passed the screen test, and this ended his announcing career.

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CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

The following persons advised on January 30, 1967, that the files of their respective departments contained no record on RONALD W. REAGAN:

SHEILA ENGEL, Reporter, Scott County Credit Bureau, Davenport, Iowa;

Sergeant EVERETT RANK, Records Department, Davenport, Iowa;

CARROLL SANFORD, Records Clerk and Radio Dispatcher, Bettendorf Police Department, Bettendorf, Iowa;

WILL VAN FOSSEN, Chief Deputy, Scott County Sheriff's Office, Davenport, Iowa.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA JAMES E. MIRE:

EMPLOYMENT

Mr. PAUL LOYET, Vice President of Palmer Broadcasting Company with offices at WHO Radio, 1100 Walnut Street, Des Moines, Iowa, advised the employment files of WHO regarding RONALD WILSON REAGAN reflect the following information:

REAGAN began employment with WHO Radio of Des Moines, Iowa, as a sport's announcer on February 10, 1933, and ended employment March 22, 1937, to accept a job with Warner Brothers. REAGAN's employment application dated February 9, 1933, revealed he was born February 6, 1911, and his permanent address was listed as 400 Center Street, Des Moines, Iowa. His employment record disclosed nothing derogatory.

Mr. PAUL LOYET, advised he knew REAGAN well when REAGAN was in the employ of WHO. He said the people who worked with REAGAN usually referred to him by the nickname "DUTCH".

LOYET stated, if his memory serves him correctly, REAGAN unofficially began his broadcasting career in 1929 or 1930 with station WOC in Davenport, Iowa. He said WOC is also a subsidiary of Palmer Broadcasting Company. LOYET stated reference is made to this on page 50 of the book, Where's the Rest of Me? The RONALD REAGAN Story, written by RICHARD C. HUBLER.

LOYET stated he knew REAGAN to be a man of the highest integrity, and he knew of no reason why REAGAN's character, loyalty, associates, or reputation, should be questioned. He said he knows of no subversive type activities in which REAGAN was a participant or of any organization of this nature of which he was a member.

Mr. LOYET was contacted on January 31, 1967.

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CREDIT

MARY BEALS, Oral Reporter, Des Moines Credit Bureau, 515¹/₂ Locust Street, Des Moines, Iowa, advised January 31, 1967, a search of her files discloses no information identifiable with RONALD WILSON REAGAN.

CRIMINAL

Mrs. GERALDINE PARSONS, Clerk, Identification Division, Des Moines, Iowa, Police Department, and Mr. BOB SLYCORD, Deputy Sheriff, Polk County Sheriff's Office, Des Moines, Iowa, both advised January 31, 1967, checks of their respective records reflect no information identifiable with RONALD WILSON REAGAN.

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TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN, CA-32055		REPORT MADE BY SA PAUL H. KELLERMEYER	TYPED BY jep
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Synopsis:

Education and employment Dixon, Illinois, verified.
Applicant and family described as reputable in
Dixon. No arrest record located for applicant or
relatives in Dixon.

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DETAILS:

The following investigation was conducted by
SA JOHN J. SHERIDAN, on January 21, 1967:

Education

SHELDON BRCESS, Principal, Dixon High School, Dixon, Illinois, made available the record of the applicant. This record revealed the applicant was born on February 6, 1911, and listed his father as J. E. REAGAN. The applicant attended this school from September 1924, to June 1, 1928, at which time he graduated. Applicant took a college entrance course and his grades were average or above average. Mr. BRCESS advised this record contained no unfavorable information concerning the applicant.

MARVIN WINGER, Assistant Principal, Dixon High School, advised he recalled the applicant and described him as a good student. He stated REAGAN had good habits, good morals and a good reputation. WINGER advised he had no reason to question the loyalty of the applicant. WINGER advised that the applicant's mother had an excellent reputation, however, his father was known to do "a little drinking." WINGER advised he did not have first-hand knowledge of this fact and this came to his attention through rumor.

LUCILLE GCRHAM, bookkeeper, Massey Hardware Store, Dixon, Illinois, advised she was a former teacher at the high school and was acquainted with the applicant and his family at the time he attended the high school. She stated the applicant had good habits and an excellent reputation.

GCRHAM stated the applicant had very reputable associates and came from a very good family. She stated the applicant's mother sang in the choir at the church, however, his father was known as a social drinker. GCRHAM advised she would recommend the applicant very highly for a position of trust, since she had no reason to question his loyalty.

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Employment

JACK KEEGAN, President, Park Board, City of Dixon, Illinois, advised that he had no records available, however, recalled that the applicant worked as a lifeguard at Lowell Park in Dixon for about three or four summers while he was attending high school and college. KEEGAN described the applicant as honest, possessing a good reputation, and he had no reason to doubt his loyalty to the United States. KEEGAN advised he would recommend the applicant highly for a position of trust.

CURT RICE, Bailiff, Circuit Court, Dixon, Illinois, advised he recalled the applicant and his family. He stated he recalled the applicant working as a lifeguard at Lowell Park in the summer during the time the applicant was attending high school and college. RICE advised the REAGAN family had an excellent reputation in Dixon, and he would recommend the applicant highly for any position of trust. He stated the applicant always had good associates.

Credit and Arrest

Mrs. DORIS ARNOLD, Clerk, Lee County Credit Bureau, Dixon, Illinois, advised that her records contained no unfavorable information concerning the applicant. She stated her records revealed the applicant's father to be JOHN E. REAGAN and his mother as NELLIE REAGAN. She stated the family had an excellent credit rating, and there was no unfavorable information in her files concerning the REAGAN family.

JOHN QUEST, Chief Deputy, Lee County Sheriff's Office, Dixon, Illinois, advised that the records of his department contained no information concerning the REAGAN family.

EARL KELCHNER, Chief of Police, Dixon, Illinois, advised his department had no record for the REAGAN family. KELCHNER advised he recalled the family personally and they had an excellent reputation in Dixon. KELCHNER advised the applicant's father had an occasional social drink, however, his department never had any trouble with any of the members of the REAGAN family.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE LOS ANGELES	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 2/3/67	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/24/67 - 2/2/67
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Mrs. FRED S. BALE, 1000 South Madison Avenue, Pasadena, California, who is the wife of a retired officer of Bankers Trust, New York City, and who is herself active in the Pasadena John Birch Society affairs, advised in early 1960 that it was her understanding that the John Birch Society, Beverly Hills Chapter, included among others RONALD REAGAN, prominent actor and television personality, (Los Angeles file 100-59001-serial 22).

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Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

Synopsis:

Employments verified at Los Angeles. REAGAN employed Warner Brothers Pictures from 5/24/37 until 4/18/42 when he entered military service. Returned from military service 9/12/45 and returned to Warner Brothers. Contract with Warner Brothers terminated in April, 1949; however, REAGAN remained with studio until 3/15/52. Services satisfactory at Warner Brothers. Warner Brothers officials describe REAGAN as a man whose reputation and character are above reproach. They recommended him highly. Officials of Batten, Barton, Durstine, and Osborne (BBDO), Inc., Los Angeles, state REAGAN employed through BBDO for General Electric Company which sponsored the television program "The General Electric Theatre." Officials recommend REAGAN highly as a man of excellent character and reputation and state that he was very successful in the performance of his duties in connection with the program for "The General Electric Theatre." REAGAN employed Universal City Studios, Universal City, California, from 6/26/60 through 6/26/62 and from 1/10/63 through 5/24/64. Universal officials describe REAGAN as a very high-type person and a man of honesty and integrity and a loyal American citizen. From 10/1/64 through 9/30/66 REAGAN associated with Borax Corporation, Los Angeles. He was employed as master of ceremonies for the Borax Corporation, "Death Valley Days," and acted in some of the shows. He also traveled and made personal appearances on behalf of Borax Corporation. He performed in a most satisfactory

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No other details are available concerning this information. There is no documentation available for the John Birch Society.

Los Angeles file 100-23402-24 is the report of SA LEONARD AUGUSTSON dated April 30, 1946, at Los Angeles entitled, "JOE LOSEY, was, IS-R." On page three of this report, information is set forth which reflects that one MADELINE BURROUGHS on March 26, 1946, contacted LOUISE LOSEY, wife of JOE LOSEY, relative to raising campaign funds for her husband, RUBEN BURROUGHS, who is running for Congress in the 20th District. MADELINE BURROUGHS gave LOUISE LOSEY a list of names of individuals to call in connection with raising campaign funds. One of the names given was RONALD REAGEN.

This report also indicates that RUBEN BURROUGHS' wife is the former MADELINE RUTHLEN, well-known communist.

The information mentioned above concerning RONALD REAGEN is not being set out in the details of instant report because it is nebulous and not considered pertinent.

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manner; considered a tremendous asset to the company. Co-employees at Borax Corporation consider REAGAN to be a dedicated loyal American whose reputation and character are above reproach. They all recommend him highly for any position of trust and confidence. Reference recommends REAGAN as a man of excellent character, associates, and a dedicated and loyal American. Credit records at Los Angeles satisfactory; however, indicate a Federal tax lien dated 11/1/57, at Beverly Hills, California, for REAGAN and his wife in the amount of \$24,911.00. Arrest records negative for applicant and his family. Superior Court records, Los Angeles, indicate applicant divorced 7/18/49, from JANE WYMAN REAGAN. REAGAN mentioned in "Daily People's World" issue of 12/4/45, in that he would appear in a dramatic play. One RONALD REAGAN included in the program and on the dinner committee of a dinner given by the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions on 12/10/45. One RONALD REAGAN mentioned as on the sponsoring committee of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee in September, 1947. RONALD REAGAN testified 10/23/47, before the House Committee on Un-American Activities concerning any sponsorship by him of any function of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. Testimony set forth. In 1951, newspaper article reflects RONALD REAGAN, one of three spokesmen who told how Hollywood Anti-Communist organizations "in 1946 beat the Reds at their own game." "Los Angeles Times," 6/10/57, reflects RONALD REAGAN received honorary degree by his alma mater, Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois, for his understanding and courage in recognizing and exposing Communists and their influence during his term as President of the Screen Actors Guild. REAGAN, in 1946, mentioned as sponsor and director of the Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy. Also, in 1946, described as member of the American Veterans Committee. The "Daily People's World," 9/7/46, reflects RONALD REAGAN to star in a series produced in cooperation with Hollywood Writers Mobilization.

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DETAILS:

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA RICHARD M. WOOLF:

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EMPLOYMENT

Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc.
4000 Warner Boulevard
Burbank, California

On January 25, 1967, and January 26, 1967, Mr. WALTER GLOVER, Director of Plant Security, Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc., advised he had caused a search to be made of the records of this studio for the history of the applicant's employment by Warner Brothers and had determined the applicant initially was employed by this studio as an actor effective May 24, 1937. The applicant remained with the studio until April 18, 1942, when he entered military service. He returned from military service on September 12, 1945, and returned to the studio. His exclusive service contract with this studio terminated in April, 1949, but the applicant remained with the studio until March 15, 1952, under contract to perform in several motion pictures.

Mr. GLOVER said employment records indicate that in 1937 the applicant resided at 1326 Londonderry View, Hollywood, California. His date and place of birth are shown as February 6, 1911, Tampico, Illinois. His father is listed as JOHN EDWARD REAGAN and his mother as NELL REAGAN. His parents' address in 1937 was shown as 9031 Phyllis Avenue, Los Angeles, California. He also listed a brother, NEIL REAGAN, of the same address as his parents and noted that the brother was employed by Warner Brothers. The applicant's wife is listed as JANE WYMAN. *J. Glover*

According to Mr. GLOVER, the employment records further noted that the applicant graduated from college (name not indicated) in 1932 and that from February, 1933, until June, 1937, the applicant was employed as a Sports Announcer by the Central Broadcasting Company, Des Moines, Iowa. The applicant also noted he was a Second Lieutenant in the U. S. Cavalry Reserve. The records contained nothing unfavorable concerning the applicant and contained no additional pertinent information.

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Mr. GLOVER said that he personally knew the applicant during the time the applicant was under contract with this studio. The applicant's mother, NELL, also was well known at the studio because for many years she ran the applicant's office at Warner Brothers and handled the applicant's fan mail. Mr. GLOVER said he did not recall applicant's brother, NEIL, although the records indicated he was an employee of Warner Brothers in 1937.

Mr. GLOVER said he had never heard anything unfavorable concerning the applicant. He said the applicant always had the reputation as being a patriotic, loyal American citizen which was exemplified by his membership in the U. S. Cavalry Reserve many years prior to World War II. He added that the applicant's character has always been above reproach and that to Mr. GLOVER's knowledge, he has always associated with reputable individuals. Mr. GLOVER knew of no organizations to which the applicant belonged other than motion picture groups, noting that the applicant was President of the Screen Actors Guild for many years.

Mr. JACK L. WARNER, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc., advised on January 25, 1967, that he first heard of the applicant in 1937 when the applicant was a Sports Announcer in Des Moines, Iowa. He invited the applicant to Hollywood, California; was impressed with the applicant; and entered into a contract with the applicant under which the applicant was to act in motion pictures produced by this studio. He said the applicant remained with the studio until World War II when the applicant entered military service. Mr. WARNER said his recollection of the contractual relationship the applicant had with the studio following the war years is hazy, but he recalled that the applicant performed in several motion pictures produced by this studio until about 1950.

Mr. WARNER said that in addition to knowing the applicant as an actor at Warner Brothers Studio that he developed a fairly close personal relationship with the applicant which has continued to the present date. Over the years they frequently have visited in each others homes.

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Mr. WARNER said that for many years the applicant was President of the Screen Actors Guild. He had the reputation for being a fair, responsible individual who had the respect of both motion picture actors and motion picture producers.

Mr. WARNER volunteered that he knew the applicant's former wife, JANE WYMAN, who also formerly was under contract as a motion picture actress at Warner Brothers Studios and he knows the applicant's present wife, NANCY. He said the applicant has always been known as a perfect gentleman and that he lived an open, clean life that would withstand any scrutiny..

Mr. WARNER volunteered that he did not know what goes on behind the closed doors in any man's home, but he could state that he had never heard any gossip concerning the applicant. He added that the applicant is a loyal American citizen of excellent character who associated with people of good reputation. Mr. WARNER said he would highly recommend the applicant for any position of trust and confidence.

Mr. MERVYN LEROY, Producer-Director, Warner Brothers Picture, Inc., advised on January 25, 1967, that he has been acquainted with the applicant since the applicant commenced his career as a motion picture actor. He said he had always held great personal esteem for the applicant and for the applicant's wife, NANCY, and has always identified himself as the "matchmaker" in introducing the applicant to NANCY REAGAN.

Mr. MERVYN LEROY said the applicant has always had the reputation as being a dedicated, loyal American citizen who keenly felt the responsibilities of citizenship. He said the applicant's character was above reproach and the applicant associated only with reputable individuals. Mr. LEROY said he would highly recommend the applicant for any position.

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Mr. WILLIAM SCHAEFFER, Executive Assistant to Mr. J. L. WARNER, Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc., advised on January 25, 1967, that he has known the applicant since 1937 when the applicant originally signed a contract to act in motion pictures for this studio and had a fairly close relationship with the applicant until the time the applicant entered military service in about 1942. Mr. SCHAEFFER said that since World War II his duties did not require a close relationship with actors, and he has had only limited knowledge of the applicant since that time. Mr. SCHAEFFER said he knows the applicant is a loyal American citizen who would sacrifice his life for his country. He said he considers the applicant's reputation and character to be above reproach, and he believes that the applicant associated only with reputable individuals.

Batten, Barton, Durstine and
Osborne (BBDO), Inc.
Advertising Agency
Los Angeles, California

Mr. W. M. STARKEY, Manager, Los Angeles Office, BBDO, advised on January 26, 1967, that the contract Mr. REAGAN had with this company was handled by the company's New York City office; that the local office had no record and no information concerning the contract; and that personnel of the local office did not work with Mr. REAGAN in connection with his duties under the contract. Mr. STARKEY added that Mr. JAMES R. SCHULE, Executive Vice President, BBDO, New York City, was currently in Los Angeles on business and would be in a position to furnish information concerning Mr. REAGAN's association with BBDO.

Mr. JAMES R. SCHULE, Executive Vice President, BBDO, New York City, was interviewed on January 26, 1967, at the Los Angeles Office of BBDO. Mr. SCHULE advised that Mr. REAGAN was hired through the New York Office of this company in about 1952. BBDO held a contract with the General Electric Company under which the General Electric Company sponsored a television program entitled,

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"The General Electric Theatre." The applicant was employed to be the program supervisor for this program; to perform as master of ceremonies for all of the shows; and to act in some of the shows. Mr. REAGAN was engaged under the contract to make personal appearances in various cities, principally those cities in which General Electric Company plants were located, and to give talks in these cities.

Mr. SCHULE said the applicant was very successful in the performance of his duties under this contract. He believed Mr. REAGAN's political ambitions probably were developed during this period of appearing and talking before the American public.

Mr. SCHULE said Mr. REAGAN's services were terminated when the General Electric Company decided to cancel "The General Electric Theatre" and to advertise in a different form. Mr. SCHULE said he did not recall the date Mr. REAGAN's contract with BBDO terminated. He suggested that Mr. RAY MC GOVERN, Vice President, BBDO, New York City, would be in a position to provide an official record of the applicant's association with BBDO. Mr. SCHULE added that "The General Electric Theatre" was filmed at Universal City Studios, Universal City, California, and that Mr. REAGAN's contract was handled through Mr. TAFT B. SCHREIBER of the Music Corporation of America (MCA). He suggested that Mr. SCHREIBER probably would have direct knowledge of Mr. REAGAN's association with BBDO.

Mr. SCHULE said he knew that Mr. REAGAN was a loyal, American citizen whose complete life was an open book. He said he knew the applicant's character and reputation were above reproach. He said he had never heard anything unfavorable concerning any of the applicant's associates.

Mr. TAFT B. SCHREIBER, President, Universal Television, Universal City, California, advised on January 26, 1967, that the Music Corporation of America (MCA) is the parent corporation of Universal City Studios and Universal Television. He said he was Vice President

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of MCA and in that position handled Mr. REAGAN's contract with BBDO for about eight years under which contract Mr. REAGAN was program supervisor for "The General Electric Theatre." He said this television series was filmed at Universal City Studios, Universal City, California.

Mr. SCHREIBER said he has known Mr. REAGAN for the past twenty-nine or thirty years; has been involved with the applicant from 1938 to the present; and was active in Mr. REAGAN's political campaign for the position of Governor of the State of California.

Mr. SCHREIBER said that Mr. REAGAN has been conscious about government all his life and has had a continuing concern about the responsibility of individuals in society. As program supervisor for "The General Electric Theatre," Mr. REAGAN spoke in many cities in America on subject matters of his choice. In these speeches he began to talk about that which concerned him - the responsibility of government and the responsibility of the individual - and this evolved into Mr. REAGAN's present, deep political concern.

Mr. SCHREIBER said the applicant has a deep sense of moral responsibility to his country; that his character is above reproach; and that he has only the finest associates. He said Mr. REAGAN is eminently qualified for any position of trust and confidence.

Universal City Studios, Inc.
Universal City, California

Miss KATHRYN MC TAGGART, Head of Legal Files, Universal City Studios, advised on January 25, 1967, the records of this company indicate that effective January 4, 1955, an agreement was entered into between RONALD REAGAN and BBDO on behalf of BBDO's client the General Electric Company in which Mr. REAGAN was engaged for 39 telecasts. The contract included four consecutive options for 52 weeks (39 telecasts each 52 weeks). The original contract was scheduled for termination on June 27, 1954.

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On April 21, 1955, the original agreement was renewed for 52 weeks commencing June 26, 1955, and ending June 23, 1956. The agreement was renewed on April 9, 1956, for 52 weeks commencing June 24, 1956, and ending June 16, 1957. Miss MC TAGGART said she could not locate an agreement for the year commencing in June, 1957, but apparently an agreement was renewed for that year. She added that the agreement was renewed on June 10, 1958, for 52 weeks commencing June 29, 1958, and ending June 21, 1959.

On June 26, 1960, a loanout agreement was made with BBDO regarding RONALD REAGAN in "The General Electric Theater" television series for the 1960-1961 series consisting of 52 weeks commencing June 26, 1960. This agreement was extended for 13 weeks commencing June 24, 1962, and ending September 27, 1962.

On May 25, 1960, an employment contract was made between Revue Studios (now consolidated into Universal City Studios) and Mr. REAGAN with employment to commence June 26, 1960.

Under the terms of this contract, Mr. REAGAN exercised an option effective on June 26, 1961, for a second contract year. A third year option was not exercised.

On January 10, 1963, an additional employment agreement was made between Revue Studios and RONALD REAGAN under which employment was to commence on February 4, 1963, for 65 weeks to expire on May 3, 1964. This term was extended to May 24, 1964.

Miss MC TAGGART said Mr. REAGAN also made some pictures for Universal quite a long time ago but the files for the contracts under which Mr. REAGAN's employment as an actor was obtained could not be located. Miss MC TAGGART added that the files contained no derogatory information concerning the applicant.

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Mr. JAMES P. NYE, Director of Plant Security, Universal City Studios, Inc., advised that he knew the applicant since about 1960 when the applicant was making "The General Electric Theater" at Universal and when the applicant was under contract with Revue Studios and was making motion pictures on the Universal lot. He said he had never heard anything unfavorable concerning the applicant and believed that his reputation and character were above reproach. Mr. NYE said he knew the applicant was a member of the Screen Actors Guild and formerly was President of the guild. He had never heard anything unfavorable concerning any of Mr. REAGAN's associates. He said Mr. REAGAN is unquestionably one of America's leading patriots and that Mr. REAGAN was well qualified for any position of trust and confidence.

Mr. LESLIE LAVERGNE, Director of Insurance, Universal City Studios, Inc., advised that he formerly held this same position at Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc., and has known the applicant personally since 1937. Mr. LAVERGNE said he has known the applicant both professionally and socially. LAVERGNE volunteered that Mr. REAGAN currently is considering him for appointment to the position of Chief of Industrial Relations (Safety) for the State of California.

Mr. LAVERGNE said that he knows Mr. REAGAN's former wife, JANE WYMAN, and Mr. REAGAN's present wife, NANCY. He volunteered that he did not know the circumstances which brought about the divorce between the applicant and JANE WYMAN. However, he said there was never any rumor or gossip connected with this divorce to his knowledge.

Mr. LAVERGNE said the applicant is a very fine man and that he has never heard "a bad word" concerning him. Mr. LAVERGNE said he has always been impressed by Mr. REAGAN because he was such a "very high-type person." Mr. LAVERGNE said he has such confidence and trust in Mr. REAGAN that he would "trust him with my life."

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Mr. LAVERGNE said Mr. REAGAN always enjoyed a most enviable reputation for honesty and integrity, that he possessed an excellent character, and that he associated only with responsible people. He added that Mr. REAGAN is one of the most patriotic, loyal American citizens he knows and that Mr. REAGAN was qualified for any position involving trust and confidence.

Mr. EDWARD MUHL, Vice President in Charge of Production, Universal City Studios, Inc., advised that he did not know the applicant personally but generally knew of the applicant's history as an actor and was aware that the applicant had worked at this studio in connection with the television series called, "The General Electric Theater," and as an actor in motion pictures. Mr. MUHL said the applicant has a reputation for sincerity and for being deeply patriotic. He said he had never heard anything unfavorable concerning the applicant's character. He knew that the applicant was a member of the Screen Actors Guild and was President of this guild for several years. He knew nothing additional concerning the applicant's associates or associations.

United States Borax and
Chemical Corporation
3075 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, California

Mr. ROY F. FROST, Director of Personnel, United States Borax and Chemical Corporation (Borax Corporation), Los Angeles, advised on January 31, 1967, that the applicant was employed by this company to be the master of ceremonies for the Borax television program, "Death Valley Days," and to act in some of the shows in the series. Mr. FROST said he had no personal knowledge of the applicant. He added that all information concerning the applicant's relationship with this company was handled through the Division of Marketing.

Mr. JACK F. KERR, Director of Marketing, Borax Corporation, advised on January 31, 1967, that this company's contract with the applicant was handled under his supervision.

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He said records indicate the applicant signed a contract with this company dated July 27, 1964, to be effective for the period of October 1, 1964, through September 30, 1965. The applicant picked up an option on the original contract to remain with the company's television series and signed an additional contract in May, 1965, to run for the period of October 1, 1965, through September 30, 1966.

Mr. KERR said that under the contract the applicant was to act as master of ceremonies for the Borax television series "Death Valley Days" and to act in some of the shows. Additionally, Mr. REAGAN traveled and made personal appearances on behalf of the company and spoke in various cities in the United States.

Mr. KERR said the applicant completed all of his various assignments in a most satisfactory manner and he was considered a tremendous asset to the company. Mr. KERR said he accompanied the applicant during some phases of the applicant's travel and also has met the applicant's wife although his association with the applicant primarily has been a business relationship only. Mr. KERR considers the applicant to be the most outstanding man of his acquaintance. He considers the applicant to be a dedicated, loyal American citizen whose reputation and character are above reproach. Mr. KERR has no knowledge of the applicant's personal associates or his associations but has never heard anything except favorable comments concerning the applicant.

Mr. KERR said that Mr. DAVID PARKER, Vice President, Marketing, Borax Corporation, had some association with the applicant during the time the applicant was under contract with the Borax Corporation. He also suggested that Mr. ROBERT STABLER, President, Madison Productions, who produced the television series "Death Valley Days" might be in a position to comment concerning the applicant's employment with the Borax Corporation.

Mr. DAVID PARKER, Vice President, Marketing, Borax Corporation, Los Angeles, advised on February 1, 1967, that this company has a contract with the advertising

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agency of McCann-Erickson, Los Angeles, where the applicant's brother, NEIL REAGAN, has been employed as an account executive for many years. In 1964, the Borax Corporation was searching for a moderator for its television series "Death Valley Days" and PARKER requested that NEIL REAGAN contact the applicant to determine if he would be interested in the assignment. The applicant's services were obtained in this manner.

Mr. PARKER said he has had some limited social relationship with the applicant and has met the applicant's wife. He has entertained the applicant in his home and has played golf with him. Mr. PARKER said the applicant is an excellent man who has always had a very favorable reputation. He said the applicant seemed to enjoy his assignment with the Borax Corporation and was considered an asset to this company.

Mr. PARKER said the associates of the applicant, to his knowledge, are all excellent people. He said the applicant is unquestionably a loyal American citizen and that the applicant could handle any position of trust and confidence.

Mr. PARKER said the applicant's brother, NEIL, has been in the advertising business for many years and is very well regarded in the business community in Los Angeles. He said NEIL REAGAN has just been named "Advertising Man of the Year" and is being feted by the advertising community in Los Angeles in the near future.

Mr. ROBERT STABLER, President, Madison Productions, 1022 North Palm Avenue, Hollywood, California, advised on January 31, 1967, that he produced the television series "Death Valley Days" for the Borax Corporation and was associated with the applicant for two television seasons in connection with the applicant's duties on this show. Mr. STABLER said the applicant functioned as host-narrator for all the shows and acted in a leading role in eight of the shows.

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Mr. STABLER had no personal knowledge of the applicant prior to the applicant's contract with the Borax Corporation, but came to know the applicant fairly well as a result of their relationship in filming the series. The show primarily was filmed on location and the applicant and Mr. STABLER spent considerable time together.

Mr. STABLER said he found the applicant to be a man of great integrity and sincerity with a very deep interest and concern about the welfare of the country and the people in the country. He considers the applicant to be absolutely reliable with a reputation and character beyond reproach. He believes the applicant to be an outstanding patriot who is devoted to the principles of this country.

Mr. STABLER said he had no knowledge of the applicant's associates or associations but had never heard anything but favorable comments concerning the applicant or his associates. He highly recommends the applicant for any position of trust and confidence.

REFERENCE

On February 1, 1967, Mr. HOLMES TUTTLE, 637 South Hudson, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed by SA JOHN W. WHALEY at his place of business located at 145 North La Brea, Los Angeles, California. He stated that he has known RONALD REAGAN since 1946. He said that he knows REAGAN to be a man of excellent character, integrity, and associates. He said that Mr. REAGAN was an "Horatio Alger" type of man who had worked his way up the ladder of success primarily through his own initiative and perseverance. Mr. TUTTLE pointed out that REAGAN was a fine dedicated American whose loyalty to the United States Government could not be questioned. He said that REAGAN was also a fine family man who was clean living and a man of good habits. He said that he would recommend him without reservation for any position of trust and confidence. He said that he had never ever heard anything unfavorable concerning RONALD REAGAN.

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CREDIT AND ARREST

On January 25, 1967, the records of the Retail Merchants Credit Association, Los Angeles, California, were caused to be searched by IC BERNARD P. BLAIS. These records reflect a satisfactory credit rating for the applicant and his wife but indicate that a Federal tax lien was filed against REAGAN and his wife at Beverly Hills, California, on November 1, 1957, in the amount of \$24,911.00.

Records of the Los Angeles Police Department and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, Los Angeles, California, were caused to be searched on January 25, 1967, by IC MILLARD T. ANDERSON and contained no record for the applicant; his wife; brother, NEIL REAGAN; and his ex-wife, JANE WYMAN; or his children.

Records of the Beverly Hills Police Department, Beverly Hills, California, which were caused to be searched on January 24, 1967, by SA WILLIAM D. COSTIGAN contain no pertinent information concerning RONALD REAGAN, NANCY DAVIS REAGAN, or JANE WYMAN.

Records of the San Fernando, California, Police Department, which were caused to be searched on January 27, 1967, by SA ALAN W. MURDOCK contain no information concerning MICHAEL EDWARD REAGAN.

Records of the Burbank, California, Police Department, which were caused to be searched on January 31, 1967, by SA L. ROGER BRANDON were negative for RONALD WILSON REAGAN.

Records of the Orange County Sheriff's Office, Santa Ana, California, the Anaheim, California, Police Department, and the Orange, California, Police Department, which were caused to be searched on January 24, 1967, by SA RAYMOND R. RIEHLE, Jr., contain no information concerning the applicant's daughter and son-in-law, DAVID S. and MAUREEN SILLS.

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United States California

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Records of the North Orange County Credit Bureau located at Anaheim, California, indicate that DAVID S. and MAUREEN SILLIS reside at 134 South Magnolia, Apartment 6C, Anaheim, California, and have a satisfactory credit rating.

MISCELLANEOUS

Records of the Los Angeles Superior Court, which were caused to be searched on January 25, 1967, by SE GAREY D. POWELL reflect the following information, under Docket No. D360058:

Complaint for Divorce was filed May 6, 1948, between JANE WYMAN REAGAN and RONALD W. REAGAN. The records indicate that they were married January 26, 1940, at Glendale, California, and separated May 2, 1948. The children who were born as a result of this marriage were MAUREEN ELIZABETH, age 7, and MICHAEL EDWARD, age 3. She alleged he inflicted grievous mental suffering upon her making it impossible for the parties to live happily together as husband and wife. They both signed a written property settlement agreement February 17, 1948, to divide their community property. She was granted an Interlocutory Divorce June 28, 1948, and received custody of the two children. She was to receive \$500.00 a month for child support. Final Judgment of Divorce was filed on July 18, 1949.

The December 4, 1945, issue of the "Daily People's World" carried an article on page three, dateline December 3rd at Los Angeles. The article stated that Southern California's first mass meeting on atomic energy was called by the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions for December 12 at the Hollywood Legion Stadium. The article stated that film star RONALD REAGAN would appear in NORMAN CORWIN's dramatic play "Set Your Clock at U-235."

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On December 17, 1945, LA T-1, who is not available for recontact or testimony, advised that one RONALD REAGAN was included in the program and on the Dinner Committee of a dinner given by the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions at the Beverly-Wilshire Hotel, Los Angeles, on the evening of December 10, 1945.

The report of the Senate Fact-Finding Committee on Un-American Activities to the 1951 Regular California Legislature states on page 268 that the organization originally known as the Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions later became known as the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions. A characterization of the Southern California Chapter of the National Council of the Arts, Sciences, and Professions is contained on the appendix page attached hereto.

The "Hollywood Citizen News" published on September 6, 1947, carried an item entitled, "PAUL ROBESON RAPS 'Fascists'." The article related that ROBESON spoke and sang at a function at the Shrine Auditorium, Los Angeles, under the auspices of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. The article noted that among those listed on the announcement as the sponsoring committee was RONALD REAGAN. REAGAN was not further identified.

On October 23, 1947, RONALD REAGAN, motion picture actor, testified before the Committee on Un-American Activities. One page 215 of the record of these hearings conducted for the period of October 20 to October 30, 1947, REAGAN was questioned as to whether he had ever sponsored any function of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. Following is quoted his reply:

"I was called several weeks ago. There happened at the time in Hollywood to be a financial drive on to raise money to build a badly needed hospital in a certain section of town, called the All Nations Hospital. I think the purpose of the building is so obvious by the title that it has the support of most of the people of Hollywood--or, of Los Angeles, I should say. Certainly of most of the doctors, because it is very badly needed.

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"Some time ago I was called to the telephone. A woman introduced herself by name. Knowing that I didn't know her I didn't make any particular note of her name and I couldn't give it now. She told me that there would be a recital held at which PAUL ROBESON would sing and she said that all the money for the tickets would go to the hospital and asked if she could use my name as one of the sponsors. I hesitated for a moment because I don't think that Mr. ROBESON's and my political views coincide at all and then I thought I was being a little stupid because, I thought, here is an occasion where Mr. ROBESON is perhaps appearing as an artist and certainly the object, raising money, is above any political consideration, it is a hospital supported by everyone. I have contributed money myself. So I felt a little bit as if I had been stuffy for a minute and I said, certainly, you can use my name.

"I left town for a couple of weeks and when I returned I was handed a newspaper story that said that this recital was held at the Shrine Auditorium in Los Angeles under the auspices of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee..... I did not in the newspaper story see one word about the hospital. I called the newspaper and said I am not accustomed to writing to editors, but would like to explain my position, and he laughed and said, 'You needn't bother, you are about the fiftieth person that has called with the same idea, including most of the legitimate doctors who had also been listed as sponsors of that affair.'

The Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee was cited by the Attorney General of the United States under the provisions of Executive Order 10450.

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The "Daily People's World" a former daily west coast Communist Party publication.

The July 15, 1949, edition of the "Washington Times Herald," Washington, D.C., newspaper, carried an article entitled, "Probers Told ROBESON is a 'Veteran Red'." This article reflects that MANNING JOHNSON, an ex-Communist Party leader, told Congress on July 14, 1949, that PAUL ROBESON had been a member of the Communist Party for many years. JOHNSON said he met ROBESON frequently at the Communist Party headquarters in New York, where ROBESON held secret meetings with EARL BROWDER, WILLIAM Z. FOSTER, and J. PETERS.

The July 17, 1951, issue of the "Examiner," a Los Angeles daily newspaper, contained an item entitled "Filmland Fight on Reds Told." The item stated that RONALD REAGAN, actor and Screen Actor's Guild President, was one of three spokesmen who told how Hollywood anti-Communist organizations in "1946 beat the Reds at their own game of organizing cells, outstaying them at meetings, and using parliamentary procedure to further their aims."

The "Times," a Los Angeles daily newspaper, on June 10, 1957, carried an item regarding the awarding to RONALD REAGAN, screen and television star, of the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters by his Alma Mater Eureka College, Eureka, Illinois. Among other things, the school cited the actor's understanding and courage in recognizing and exposing Communists and their influence during his term as President of the Screen Actor's Guild.

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In April, 1946, Mr. HARVEY WOLF, a Communist Party member from 1933, to 1934, who died January 13, 1964, advised that RONALD REAGAN, screen actor, was listed as a sponsor and director of the Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy.

The Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy has been designated by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

The "Los Angeles News" issue, April 29, 1946, contains an article concerning the California State Convention of the American Veterans Committee which was held April 26, 1946, through April 28, 1946. This article reflects that film actor RONALD REAGAN is a member of the American Veterans Committee and was a toastmaster at a luncheon session of the convention.

The Fourth Report of Un-American Activities in California which is a report of the Joint Fact Finding Committee to the 1948 Regular California Legislature, dated at Sacramento, 1948, on Page 43, lists among other organizations, the American Veterans Committee, which is typical of organizations "faced with consistent Communist disruption and confusion." The report states that "the California Section of the American Veterans Committee falls into the Communist dominated class and is a vociferous, decadent minority in national AVC affairs."

The "Daily People's World" issue of September 7, 1946, on Page 3, contains an article stating that RONALD REAGAN was to star in "Operation Terror," first in a series of 13 weekly broadcasts entitled, "It's Happening Here," sponsored by the Mobilization for Democracy, on Monday night, September 9, 1946. It was announced that the program would be produced with the cooperation of the Hollywood Writers Mobilization.

The Mobilization for Democracy is cited as follows on Page 220 of the Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications prepared and released by the Committee on Un-American Activities, U. S. House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

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"1. 'One of the largest, and certainly one of the most potentially potent front organizations created by California Communists' since 1945. 'As an excuse for' its creation, the Communist Party seized upon the appearance of Gerald L. K. Smith in Los Angeles. It is 'a Communist-inspired and dominated organization, carefully window-dressed and directed' and 'engaged in inciting riots, racial hatred, and disrespect for law and order.' It is one of the 'key Communist fronts in California.'

"(California Joint Fact-Finding Committee on Un-American Activities, Report, 1947, pp. 48, 62, and 369.)"

The Hollywood Writers Mobilization for Defense is cited by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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APPENDIX

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAPTER OF
THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE ARTS,
SCIENCES AND PROFESSIONS

The "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" issued by the House Un-American Activities Committee dated December 1, 1961, page 225, contains the following information concerning the Southern California Chapter of the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions:

1. Cited as "one of the major Communist-dominated propaganda media on the Pacific Coast." It is located at 7410 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles.
(California Committee on Un-American Activities, Report, 1955, pp. 392 and 393; also cited in 1951 Report, p. 268.)

Ronald Reagan-1403

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
February 3, 1967

Title

RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA 32055.

Character

ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

Reference

Report of SA JOHN W. WHALEY
dated and captioned as above at
Los Angeles, California.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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To: SAC, Los Angeles (116-70463)

From: Director, FBI (116-460320) /6

RONALD WILSON REAGAN
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Rerep SA John W. Whaley dated 2/3/67.

Your attention is directed to urfile 100-15732, report of SA James G. Findlay dated 4/11/46 entitled "Communist Infiltration of Motion Picture Industry, Internal Security-C." Pages 6 and 7 set forth information concerning Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy. Reagan listed as a sponsor and director. Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy has been designated by the Department of Justice pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Review report and, if appropriate, submit amended page for rerep by return mail. (100-138754-124)

Your attention is directed to urfile 100-22857, report of SA James G. Findlay dated 6/17/46 entitled "The American Veterans Committee, Internal Security-C." See page 5. If Los Angeles Chapter of American Veterans Committee has been documented during pertinent period, submit amended page for rerep by return mail. (100-339008-31)

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TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA 32055		REPORT MADE BY JOHN W. WHALEY	TYPED BY grj
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REFERENCES: Report of SA JOHN W. WHALEY dated 2/3/67 at Los Angeles.
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REPORTING OFFICE WASHINGTON FIELD	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 2/6/67	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/27/67 - 2/6/67
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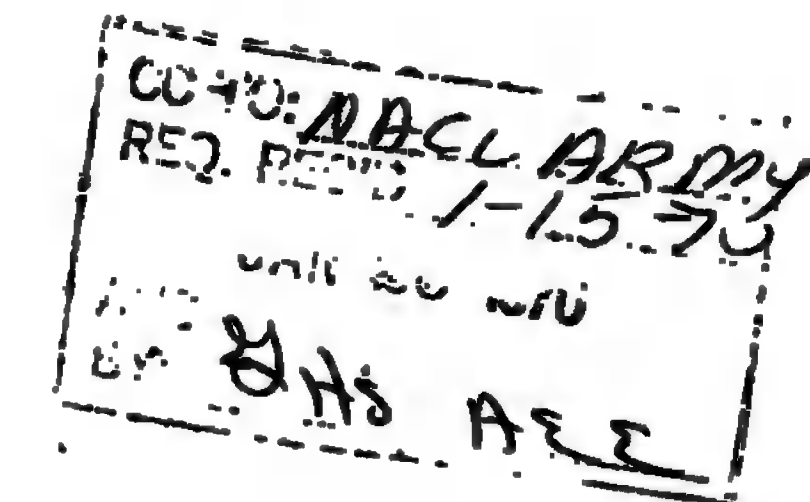
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Date: 2/6/67

Office: Washington, D. C.

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Title: RONALD WILSON REAGAN

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Character: AEA-A

Synopsis: Reference U. S. Senator GEORGE MURPHY and U. S. Senator
THOMAS H. KUCHEL both recommend. Government Agency checks
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REFERENCE

On January 31, 1967, United States Senator GEORGE MURPHY advised SA JAMES H. DILLON he has known RONALD REAGAN, present Governor of California, for approximately twenty eight years on a close social and professional basis. During the entire period of time they have been acquainted MURPHY rated REAGAN as an individual he felt was "as good as gold". He believes he is a person of outstanding character and he enjoys an excellent reputation. MURPHY has absolutely no doubt concerning applicant's loyalty as a citizen. Concerning this aspect MURPHY advised that at one time when the applicant was a labor leader the communists attempted to influence him. MURPHY said as soon as he realized the communists were trying to creep into his organization he immediately took steps which stopped their activities.

Based on the association MURPHY has had with REAGAN he would wholeheartedly recommend him for access to highly confidential data in which the Federal Government has an interest.

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COMMENTS OF U. S. SENATOR KUCHEL

On January 31, 1967, United States Senator THOMAS H. KUCHEL, California, advised SA JAMES H. DILLON that he is acquainted with RONALD REAGAN as the Governor of California and he, KUCHEL, would have no objections to any appointment to which the applicant might be under consideration.

He knows of nothing which would reflect adversely on his moral character, associations, reputation or loyalty to the United States. He recommended him for access to highly confidential data of interest to the Federal Government.

Ronald Reagan-1411

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GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

SA ROBERT F. ROBINSON, JR. caused a search to be made of files of the Central Intelligence Agency, and was advised January 30, 1967, the files contain no pertinent identifiable information concerning REAGAN.

CIA reference is unclassified per their 5/19/92 letter. 9803 RDD/psk 9/22/93.

IC GARRIE A. FRIEND caused a search to be made of files of the Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission, and was advised February 2, 1967, no record of REAGAN was found.

Files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities were reviewed February 2, 1967, by IC HOWARD SCOTT MAYNARD and no pertinent identifiable derogatory information was located.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE BALTIMORE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN BUREAU	DATE 2/7/67	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 1/20-2/6/67
TITLE OF CASE RONALD WILSON REAGAN CA-32055		REPORT MADE BY IC JOHN H. BLAKE	TYPED BY pr
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REFERENCE:

Request for Dossier of subject dated 1/18/67.

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Report of: IC JOHN H. BLAKE
Date: February 7, 1967
Office: Baltimore, Maryland

Field Office File #: 116-56166
Bureau File #:

Title: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA-32055

Character: ATOMIC ENERGY ACT - APPLICANT

Synopsis: DCII reflects information regarding captioned individual located USAIRR. Review of USAIRR files reflects no unfavorable information.

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DETAILS:MISCELLANEOUS

The Defense Central Index of Investigations (DCII), Fort Holabird, Maryland, comprising indices to Army, Navy, and Air Force investigative files, was checked through a representative of that agency on February 6, 1967 and reflects that information regarding the captioned individual is located in the files of the U. S. Army Investigative Records Repository (USAIRR).

The files of the USAIRR, Fort Holabird, Maryland, made available by a representative of that agency, were reviewed on February 6, 1967. These files reflect that the captioned individual was the subject of a partial background investigation, completed on December 7, 1944, during which no information was developed reflecting adversely upon the character, reputation, or loyalty of this individual.

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Date: 2/8/67

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Title: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA 32055

Character: AEA-A

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Synopsis:

Passport file reviewed.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.MISCELLANEOUS

On February 8, 1967, IC JOHN H. VOSS reviewed the passport file maintained at the Passport Office, U. S. Department of State, for RONALD WILSON REAGAN, born February 6, 1911, at Tampico, Illinois.

On October 18, 1948, at San Francisco, California, REAGAN was issued Passport Number 22144 for proposed three-months travel to Great Britain and France for the purpose of "business - making a picture."

REAGAN stated on his passport application dated October 13, 1948, that he was born on February 6, 1911, at Tampico, Illinois. He listed his father as JOHN EDWARD REAGAN, born at Fulton, Illinois, in 1886 and his mother as NELLIE REAGAN, born at Fulton, Illinois, in 1896. He gave his permanent residence as 1326 Londonderry View, Los Angeles, and his mailing address as 360 North Camden Drive, Beverly Hills, California. He stated he was married on January 26, 1941, to JANE WYMAN who was born at St. Joseph, Missouri, on January 4, 1917. He indicated his marriage was not terminated and that his wife resided at 333 South Beverly Glen Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.

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2/8/67

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To: SAC, San Francisco

From: Director, FBI (116-460320)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN
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ReBuairtel dated 1/20/67.

Neither urep nor reason for delay has been received at Bureau. Advise by return airtel date report submitted and name of reporting Agent. If report not submitted, advise in detail reason for delay and date urep will reach Bureau.

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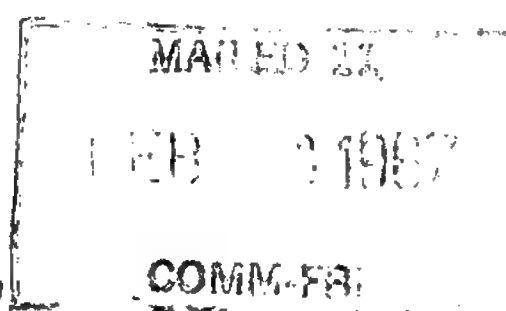
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FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (116-57309)

SUBJECT: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
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Re Bureau airtel 2/8/67.

San Francisco RUC airtel to Bureau dated 1/25/67 furnished names of Governor REAGAN's parents and noted that UACB no investigation being conducted by San Francisco Office at Sacramento, California in view of short period of time since Governor's inauguration.

No other leads were indicated for San Francisco in Bureau airtel, 1/20/67.

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To: SAC, San Francisco (116-57309)

From: Director, FBI (116-460320)

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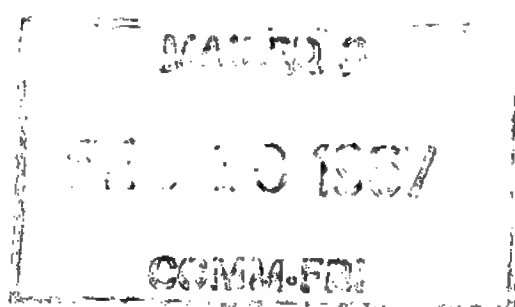
"Daily People's World" dated 9/7/46 on page 3
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Terror," first in a series of thirteen weekly broadcasts
entitled "It's Happening Here," sponsored by the Mobilization
for Democracy, on Monday night, September 9, 1946. It was
announced that the program would be produced with the
cooperation of the Hollywood Writers Mobilization.

Mobilization for Democracy is listed by the
House Un-American Activities Committee Guide to Subversive
Organizations on page 220. Hollywood Writers Mobilization
for Defense is cited by the Attorney General under the
provisions of Executive Order 10450. This information also
appeared in Drew Pearson's column of October 27, 1966.

Submit appropriate amended pages for referenced
report by return mail.

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SUBJECT: RONALD WILSON REAGAN
CA 32055
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Reference Bureau airtels to Los Angeles, dated 2/9/67, and 2/10/67.

Enclosed for the Bureau are appropriate amended pages as follows:

Amended Page 2
New Pages 19a and 19b

Amended pages have been placed in the Los Angeles copy of report of SA JOHN W. WHALEY, dated 2/3/67, at Los Angeles.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Gale

DATE: 2/16/67

FROM : W. V. Cleveland

SUBJECT: RONALD WILSON REAGAN,
ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

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This is to advise that the background investigation of Reagan, the present Governor of California, requested by the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) has been completed. As the Governor of California, Reagan will be a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California, which position has been classified as "highly sensitive" by AEC. All persons interviewed during the investigation made highly favorable comments concerning Reagan's character, loyalty, and associates.

Although Reagan has been extremely anticommunist since the latter part of the 1940's, in 1945 he was listed as a member of the Dinner Committee and appeared in a play at a meeting called by the Hollywood Independent Citizen's Committee of the Arts, Sciences, and the Professions. This organization later became known as the National Council of Arts, Sciences, and Professions. In 1946, Reagan starred in a radio program sponsored by the Mobilization for Democracy and produced with the cooperation of the Hollywood Writers Mobilization. The Southern California Committee of the National Council of Arts, Sciences, and Professions has been cited by the California Committee on Un-American Activities as a communist dominated propaganda media, and the Mobilization for Democracy has been cited by the California Joint Fact Finding Committee on Un-American Activities as a communist front. In 1946, Reagan was listed as a sponsor and director of the Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy. In 1947, Reagan was listed as a sponsor of a recital put on by the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. The Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy, the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, and the Hollywood Writers Mobilization for Defense have been cited pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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Ronald Reagan-1422

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Memorandum to Mr. Gale
Re: Ronald Wilson Reagan

Reagan testified as a friendly witness before the House Committee on Un-American Activities in 1947 at which time he explained how he was duped through a telephone call to lend his name as a sponsor of the recital being sponsored by the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee in the same year.

Mr. Walter Glover, Director of Plant Security, Warner Brothers Pictures, Burbank, California, made highly complementary remarks concerning Mr. Reagan. He advised for the confidential information of the Bureau that he understood the true reason Reagan divorced his wife, actress Jane Wyman, was immorality on her part. Glover stated Jane Wyman had a reputation of promiscuity before, during, and after her marriage to Reagan. Glover stated that when Reagan found out about the actions of his wife, he divorced her.

The records of the Los Angeles Supreme Court show that a complaint for divorce was filed on May 6, 1948, between Jane Wyman Reagan and Ronald W. Reagan. Jane Wyman Reagan alleged her husband, Ronald W. Reagan, inflicted grievous mental suffering upon her, making it impossible for the parties to live happily together as husband and wife. Jane Wyman Reagan was granted an interlocutory divorce, June 28, 1948, and received custody of the two children. Under ordinary circumstances, the divorced spouse of an applicant is interviewed for their comments concerning the applicant; however, in view of the reported reputation of Jane Wyman, she is not being interviewed unless a specific request is received for such an interview from AEC.

ACTION:

If you approve, investigative reports setting forth the results of investigation of Reagan will be disseminated to AEC.

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Ronald Reagan-1423

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 1/27/70

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: **RONALD REAGAN
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA
NAME CHECK**

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Malley
1 - Mr. Scatterday

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The National Agency Check Center, Fort Holabird, Maryland, on behalf of the Department of the Army, has submitted a name check request on Governor Reagan, who is being considered as a proposed guest for the 1970 National Strategy Seminar at the U.S. Army War College.

In 1967 Governor Reagan was the subject of an Atomic Energy Act investigation as he was to be a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California, which had been classified as "highly sensitive" by Atomic Energy Commission. All individuals interviewed made highly favorable comments concerning Reagan.

Although Reagan has been extremely anticommunist since the latter part of the 1940's, he had previously been listed as a member of a committee and appeared in a play at a meeting called by the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, which later became known as the National Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions. The Southern California Committee of this organization has been cited as a communist dominated propaganda media. In 1946 Reagan appeared in a radio program sponsored by the Mobilization for Democracy, produced with the cooperation of the Hollywood Writers Mobilization. The Mobilization for Democracy has been cited as a communist front by the California Un-American Activities Committee. Reagan was also, in 1946, listed as a sponsor and director of the Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy and in 1947 was listed as a sponsor of a recital put on by the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. These latter two organizations have been cited pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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Ronald Reagan-1424

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Memo to Mr. DeLoach
Re: Ronald Reagan, Governor of California

In 1947 Reagan testified as a friendly witness before the House Committee on Un-American Activities and explained that he was duped through a telephone call to lend his name as sponsor of the recital of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. (116-460320)

The foregoing data is included in the investigative reports.

Bufiles contain no subsequent pertinent information.

RECOMMENDATION:

If approved, copies of the Atomic Energy Commission investigation will be furnished to the National Agency Check Center.

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Ronald Reagan-1425

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Ronald Reagan-1427

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Gebhardt *RE: JWB*
FROM : J. Wright Brown
SUBJECT: RONALD REAGAN
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA
NAME CHECK

DATE: 1-29-73

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN

The Department of State has submitted a name check request on Governor Reagan who is being considered for a possible appointment to the United States National Commission for United Nations Economic and Social Council (UNESCO).

In 1967, Governor Reagan was the subject of an Atomic Energy Act investigation as he was to be a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California, which had been classified as "highly sensitive" by Atomic Energy Commission. All individuals interviewed made highly favorable comments concerning Reagan.

Although Reagan has been extremely anti-communist since the latter part of the 1940's, he had previously been listed as a member of a committee and appeared in a play at a meeting called by the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, which later became known as the National Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions. The Southern California Committee of this organization has been cited as a communist dominated propaganda media. In 1946 Reagan appeared in a radio program sponsored by the Mobilization for Democracy, produced with the cooperation of the Hollywood Writers Mobilization. The Mobilization for Democracy has been cited as a communist front by the California Un-American Activities Committee. Reagan was also, in 1946, listed as a sponsor and director of the Los Angeles Committee for a Democratic Far Eastern Policy and in 1947 was listed as a sponsor of a recital put on

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Memo to Mr. Gebhardt
Re: Ronald Reagan, Governor of California

by the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. [These latter two organizations have been cited pursuant to Executive Order 10450.]

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(116-460320)

The foregoing data is included in the investigative reports.

Bufiles contain no subsequent pertinent information.

As a matter of background in 1970, the National Agency Check Center, Fort Holabird, Maryland, on behalf of the Department of the Army, submitted a name check request on Governor Reagan, who was at that time being considered as a proposed guest for the 1970 National Strategy Seminar at the United States Army War College. Upon approval of the Director copies of the Atomic Energy Act, applicant investigation conducted by this Bureau were forwarded to the Department of the Army.

RECOMMENDATION:

If approved, copies of the Atomic Energy Act investigation will be furnished to the Department of State.

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November 28, 1973

GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN

Captioned individual, who is Governor of California, was the subject of an applicant-type investigation conducted by this Bureau in 1967 in connection with his position as a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California. Inasmuch as the Board of Regents had access to sensitive material from the Atomic Energy Commission, our investigation was requested by the Atomic Energy Commission. No derogatory information was developed during this investigation.

In addition to the above, our files contain numerous references to Governor Reagan, but each reference contains either nonderogatory or nonpertinent data.

At the request of Alexander P. Butterfield, a White House name check was made in August, 1972, concerning Miss Maureen Reagan, daughter of Governor Reagan and actress Jane Wyman, in connection with a social function in the White House. Attached is a copy of the memorandum, classified "Confidential", dated August 21, 1972, concerning Miss Reagan, which was forwarded to the White House.

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October 12, 1973

BY LIAISON

General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Haig:

Enclosed herewith are summaries
of information on the four individuals you discussed
with Director Kelley earlier today in Kansas City
by telephone.

No inquiries were conducted to
endeavor to bring this material up-to-date.
It is comprised of information readily available
in this Bureau's Washington Headquarters files.

Sincerely,

Nicholas P. Callahan

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GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN

Captioned individual, who is Governor of California, has not been the subject of an investigation conducted by the FBI.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 6, 1975

TO: Robert H. Haynes, FBI

FROM: Jane Dannenhauer

SUBJECT: FBI Investigations

Subject's Name REAGAN, Ronald

Date of Birth 2/6/11 Place of Birth Tampico, Fla.

Present Address: San Francisco, Ca.

We Request: Copy of Previous Report

 Name Check

 X Full Field Investigation

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The person named above is being considered for:

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SILL, mfg. co. exec.; b. Romeo Mich., Oct. 11, 1912; s. E. S. Sill, B.S. Mech. Engrng., m. Arlyne Alice Conger, Apr. 7, 1938; Kent, Todd Conger, Mgr. F & B Div., Am. Blower 51; dir. purchasing Am. Standard Corp., N.Y.C., ss Heater Corp., Buffalo, 1955-60; v.p. mfg. 1 div., Detroit, 1960-64; pres. Crane Can. Ltd., 1964-; dir. James Robertson Co., Ltd., Kranko (Montreal), Bd. govs. Montreal Gen. Hosp.; nl. Trust. Mem. Newcomen Soc., Canadian Inst. ing (pres. 1971-72), Chi Phi. Clubs: Beaconsfield Home: 105 Longmore Dr Pointe Claire Quebec PO Box 2700 Montreal Quebec 379 Canada

GORDON, physician; b. Bklyn., Feb. 8, 1919; nd Marion T. (Payne) R.; B.A., Cornell U., 1940, en C. Brown, May 23, 1942; children—Jonathan, r. Intern N.Y. Hosp., N.Y.C., 1944, resident, physician 1962—, dir. comprehensive care and 1952-68, chief med. clinic, 1952—; practice g in internal medicine, N.Y.C., 1949—; chief div. mmunity medicine N.Y. Hosp. Cornell Med. 9—; prof. medicine Cornell U. Med. Sch. 1957—, gy study sect. NIH, 1961-65; chmn. med. adv. bd. Fund of Hotel Industry of N.Y.C., 1964—; chmn. Nurse Service N.Y., 1963—; mem. med. control an Greater N.Y., 1964— Bd. dirs. Winifred und, Cancer Care, N.Y.C. Visiting Nurse Sev. L, 1944-46; PTO, Diplomat Am. Bd. Internal C.P., Am. Geriatric Soc. (pres. 1969-70, dir. 0-71); mem. Am. Pub. Health Assn. (governing Y. Acad. Medicine (chmn. com. on med. edn. ol. Assn., A.A.S.A., A.M.A., Assn. Am. Med. Internat. Sociol. Assn., N.Y.C. Pub. Health Assn. Xi, Alpha Omega Alpha, Author: (with R.) The Student Physician, 1957; (with Goss) lical Care and Teaching, 1967; (with Goodrich re Medical Care: An Experiment, 1969; Editorial 69-70. Home: 155 Stuyvesant Av Rye NY 10580 it New York City NY 10021

HARDEN, mayor; b. Glendale, Ariz., Nov. 26, nd Lillian (Ingram) R.; B.S., U. Cal. at Berkeley, y Swarthmore, Mar. 21, 1941; children—Joanna Negley), Ronald James, Pres. Ingrams Food Oakland, Cal., Reds Early Cal. Foods, Inc., yor City of Oakland, Cal., 1966— Served to col. lome: 4735 Sequoyah Rd. Oakland CA 94605 Oakland CA 94603

IAN, mfg. co. exec.; b. Eng., 1906. Chmn., chief go. Pneumatic Tool Co., pres., dir. Allen Mfg. Tool de Mexico, Consol. Pneumatic Tool Co. Consol. Pneumatic Tool Co. (India) Ltd., ool Co. (Australia) Pty. Ltd., Frank Guylec & Co., Ltd., Consol. Pneumatic Tool Co., Ltd. obs Mfg. Co.; chmn. bd., dir. Societe Anonyme rance); dir. Chgo. Pneumatic Tool Co. S.A. neumatic Tool Co. Central Africa (Pvt.) Ltd. neumatic Tool Co. (Pvt.) Ltd. (Johannesburg, S. matic Tool Co. (Zambia) Ltd. (Ndola), Premag chmn. bd. Qualitrol Corp., Clyde Corp., Mich. s, Ltd. (Eng.). Fellow Inst. Chartered Home: 40 E 78th St New York City NY th St New York City NY 10017

JAMES, Jr., business exec.; b. Hydesville, Cal., nd Katherine (Donovan) R.; A.B., U. Cal., 1932, Cathryn Reinheimer, Oct. 27, 1934; nes. III, Ann Kathleen (Mrs. J. R. McElvea), ter Timothy, Cathryn Mary (Mrs. K.F. with various Kaiser orgns., 1942—; Kaiser rrp., 1946—, pres., chief exec. officer, 1963—, 5-9, exec. v.p., pres., chief exec. officer Kaiser Industries Corp. Home: 2100 Pacific Av San Office: Lakeside Dr. Oakland CA 94612

BERNARD, librarian; b. Cardiff, Wales, Sept. ora (Hart) R.; B.A., U. Wales, 1937, M.A., U. U.K., 1939; M.L.S., U. Western Ont.; ALA, hive, U. Wales and Harvard; Dip. Ed., Oxford, 24, 1945; children—Patrick, Vincent, Liam, ame to U.S., 1948, naturalized 1954. Lectr. U. 150-51; librarian, lectr. Stanford, 1951-65; i; univ. librarian, prof. bibliography McMaster 966—, vis. lectr. U. Ill., 1958. Served from aft Brit. Army, 1939-45. Recipient award for nthly, 1948. Mem. A.L.A. (recipient Clarence thor: Great Disciple, 1951; The Poor Harer, tion, 1968; Necessary Russell, 1969; Notes on f of the Rings, 1971. Author articles, short dise Rd N Hamilton Ontario Canada Office: Ontario Canada

ILLIAM, physician, educator; b. Oakmont, William J. and Lulu (Thompson) R.; B.S., U. 43; m. Angelyn B. Boezeman, June 1, 1944; hy, James, Michael, William; Pathologist in Univ. Hosps. of Cleve., 1949—, pathologist 1957—; prof. pathology Case Western Res. rved with M.C., A.U.S., 1944-46. Recipient Mem. A.M.A., Am. Assn. Pathologists and c. Clin. Pathologists, Coll. Am. Patholists, is and Gynecologists, Ohio Soc. Pathology, ditor Manual of Cytotechnology, The Cells of na Home: 1736 Sheridan Rd South Euclid 5-Adelbert Rd Cleveland OH 44106

IL adv. apy. exec.; b. Tampico, Ill., Sept. 16, and Nellie (Wilson) R.; A.B., Eureka Coll., i Hoffman, Aug. 31, 1935. Program dir radio 1934-39; produ. mgr. radio sta. KFWB, Los radio sta. KNX, Los Angeles, 1943-44; sr. Inc., Los Angeles, 1944—, Alternate del. 1962, Trustee Kennedy Child Study Center, Adv. Assn. of the West (pres. 1952), Alpha rpa, Epson, Clubs: Hollywood (Cal.)

20, 1920; s. Marion Allen and Jessie May A. and M. Coll., 1943-44; B.A., U. Tex., 1950, postgrad., 50-51; m. Martha Edna Riley, Sept. 4, 1948; children—Deborah Ellen, Berkley Allen, Geologist Standard Oil Co. Tex., Houston, 1951-52; mgr. hydrocarbons Dow Chem. Co., Midland, Mich., 1952-69; sr. v.p. Houston Nat. Gas Corp., 1969—; dir. Houston Pipeline Co., Valley Pipeline Co., Valley Gas Transmission, Inc., Intratek Gas Co., Mid Le s Co., Houston Natural Gas Prodn. Co., HNG Petrochems., Liquid Carbonic Corp. Served with USNR, 1944-46. Mem. N. rual Gas Men Houston, Agr. Petroleum Inst., So. Ga. Assn. (adv. council), Lambda Chi Alpha, Methodist (adminstrv. bd.), Club: Plaza (Houston). Home: 238 Gessner St Houston TX 77024 Office: 1200 Travis St Houston TX 77002

REAGAN, MICHAEL DANIEL, educator; b. N.Y.C., Mar. 12, 1927; s. Oliver Edward and Katherine (Wagner) R.; A.B., Coll. Holy Cross, 1948; M.A., Princeton, 1956, Ph.D., 1959; m. Celeste M. Schleich, Mar. 21, 1970; children by previous marriage—Deborah S. Kevin M., Timothy A. Editorial and sales adminstr. positions book pub. firms, 1948-53; instr. Princeton, 1955-56, Williams Coll., 1956-60; vis. asst. prof. Princeton, 1960-61; asst. prof. Syracuse U., 1961-63, asso. prof., 1963-64; prof. U. Cal. at Riverside, 1964—, chmn. dept. polit. Sci., 1971—; cons. Nat. Commn. on Money and Credit, 1960, NSF, 1966-70. Mem. adv. com. on mgmt. social sci. research in Dept. Def., NRC, 1970-71. Served with USMCR, 1945-46, 50-51. Social Sci. Research Council Research fellow, 1967-68. Mem. Am. Western polit. sci. assns. Democrat. Author: The Managed Economy, 1963; Science and the Federal Patron, 1969; also articles. Editor: Politics, Economics and the General Welfare, 1965; The Administration of Public Policy, 1969. Home: 4152 Statu St Riverside CA 92503

REAGAN, RONALD, gov. Cal.; b. Tampico, Ill., Feb. 6, 1911; s. John Edward and Nellie (Wilson) R.; A.B., Eureka (Ill.) Coll., 1932; m. Jane Wyman, Jan. 25, 1940 (div. 1948); children—Maureen E., Michael E.; m. 2d, Nancy Davis, Mar. 4, 1952; children—Patricia, Ronald; Sports announcer WHO, Des Moines, 1932-37, motion picture and TV actor, 1937-66. Gov. State of Cal., 1967— Former program supr. Gen. Electric Theater Served as capt. USAAF, 1942-45. Mem. Screen Actors Guild (pres. 1947-52, 59), Tau Kappa Epsilon. Breeder thoroughbred horses, trainer hunters and jumpers. Home: Exec Mansion Sacramento CA 95814 Office: State Capitol Sacramento CA 95814

REAGAN, SYDNEY CHANDLER, educator; b. Ft. Smith, Ark., Jan. 7, 1916; s. Sydney Chandler and Ollie (Wood) R.; B.B.A., U. Tex., Austin, 1937, J.D., 1941; M.Pub. Adminstr., Harvard, 1949, Ph.D. in Econ., 1954; m. Barbara Ruth Benton, June 8, 1940; children—Patricia Benton, Sydney Chandler III. Economist, U.S. Dept. Agr., Washington, 1941-55; prof., chmn. dept. real estate and regional sci. Sch. Bus. Adminstr., So. Meth. U., Dallas, 1955—, dir. Inst. Urban and Environmental Studies, 1968—, chmn. faculty senate, 1968-70, chmn. Univ. Planning Council, 1967-69; bus. cons. Bd. dirs. Dallas Urban League. Recipient award as one of ten outstanding profs. in Tex., Piper Found., 1969. Hon. mem. Dallas Bd. Realtors. Mem. Am. Econ. Assn., Am. Real Estate and Regional Sci. Assn., Urban Econ. Assn. (dir.), Dallas Economists Club (pres. 1969), Tex. Bar Assn. Author: The Economy of the Central Business District in Dallas, 1961; Economic Feasibility of Proposed Lake Shore Road in Malawi, 1965; Plan to Stabilize Economy and to Manager Resources in Texas in Event of an Enemy Nuclear Attack, 1965; Crossroads Community Study for Dallas, 1970. Home: 6815 Prestonshire St Dallas TX 75225

REAGIN, EWELL KERR, clergyman, educator; b. Wales Sta., Tenn., Nov. 27, 1900; s. Bushrod Johnson and Frances Madara (Kerr) R.; A.B., Bethel Coll., McKenzie, Tenn., 1922; B.D., Cumberland Presbyn. Theol. Sem., studied So. Meth. U., U. Chgo.; M.A., Birmingham So. Coll., 1926; D.D., Bethel Coll., 1937; m. Julian Rebecca Simpson, Jan. 7, 1925; children—Ewell Julian, Rebekah Kerr. Ordained to ministry Cumberland Presbyn. Ch., 1922; co-pastor First Ch., Dallas, 1922; pastor successively Sturgis, Ky., West End Ch., Birmingham, McKenzie and Knoxville until 1931; moderator Cumberland Presbyn. Ch., 1936-37; prof. Hebrew and religious edn., Bethel Coll., 1931-44; dean Cumberland Presbyn. Theol. Sem., 1931-44; pastor McKenzie, Tenn., 1937-39; pres. Bethel Coll., 1939-44; pastor Knoxville, Tenn., 1944-69, Lebanon, Tenn., 1970—; dir. U. Tenn. Sch. Religion. Prof. U. Tenn. Corr. Study Bd. Greater Knoxville Council on Aging. Mem. Kappa Phi Kappa, Democrat. Author: Essence of Our Faith; What Cumberland Presbyterians Believe: Principles of Personal Worship; Now Faith Is; The Holy Spirit, We Believe and So We Speak. Home: 5526 Woodburn Dr Knoxville TN 37919

REAL, MANUEL LAWRENCE, dist. judge; b. San Pedro, Cal., Jan. 27, 1924; s. Francisco Jose and Maria (Mansano) R.; B.S., U. So. Cal., 1944, student fgn. trade, 1946-48; LL.B., Loyola Sch. Law, Los Angeles, 1951; m. Stella Emilia Michalik, Oct. 15, 1955; children—Michael, Melanie Marie, Timothy, John Robert. Admitted to Cal. bar, 1952; asst. U.S. Atty.'s Office, Los Angeles, 1952-55; pvt. practice law, San Pedro, Cal., 1955-64; U.S. atty. So. Dist. Cal., 1964-66; U.S. dist. judge, 1966— Served to ensign USNR, 1943-46. Mem. Am. Fed., Los Angeles County bar assns., State Bar Cal., Am. Judicature Soc., Chief Spl. Agts. Assn., Phi Delta Phi, Sigma Chi, Democrat. Roman Catholic. Club: Anchor (Los Angeles). Office: 312 N Spring St Los Angeles CA 90012

REAL, PEDRO EDUARDO, diplomat of Argentina; b. Buenos Aires, Argentina, Jan. 30, 1911; s. Raymundo J. and Emilia (Hammer) R.; LL.B., U. Buenos Aires, 1937; m. Maria Magdalena Gallo, Dec. 7, 1938. With Central Bank Argentina, 1935-50, 1955-56, 62-63, gov., 1967-69; gov. World Bank, 1967-69; Internat. Monetary Fund, 1967-69, Inter Am. Devel. Bank; 1967-69; ambassador of Argentina to U.S., 1969— Cons. Banco Ganadero Argentina; chmn. Cimet S.A. Mem. Argentine Bar Assn. Clubs: Yacht, Jockey (Buenos Aires). Home: 881 Arroyo St Buenos Aires Argentina Office: 610 Paraguay St Buenos Aires Argentina

REAM, JOHN WRIGHTSON, ret. ins. co. exec.; b. N.Y.C., Sept. 26, 1919; s. Robert C. and Priscilla (Wrightson) R.; student Bard Coll., 1939-41; m. Barbara Borden, Mar. 23, 1949; children—Robert, Glenworth, Peter. With Am. Reins. Co., N.Y.C., 1945-69, v.p., 1954-69, now dir. Bd. dirs. Am. Soc. Prevention Cruelty to Animals. Served to capt. USAAF, World War II. Home: Perkins Rd Greenwich CT 06830

REAM, LOUIS MARSHALL, Jr., oil co. exec.; b. Thompson, Conn., Aug. 26, 1921; s. Louis Marshall and Mary (Walker) R.; grad. St. Paul's Sch., 1939; B.S., Princeton, 1943; M.B.A., U. Pa., 1948; m. Corneia Porter, June 21, 1947; children—John M., Bruce C., Scott W., Mark T., Carolyn Priscilla. With Atlantic Richfield Co., and predecessor, Phila., 1948—, adminstr. asst. to financial v.p., 1956-60,

Richfield Co 600 Fifth Av New York City NY 10020

REAM, NORMAN JACOB, mgmt. cons.; b. Aurora, Ill., June 20, 1912; s. Edward Franklin and Margaret E. (Conert) R.; B.S. in Accountancy, U. Ill., 1934; postgrad. student, Northwestern U., 1941; m. Eileen Margaret Bouvia, May 24, 1952; children—Judith Ellen (Mrs. William P. Miles), Patricia Margaret (Mrs. Paul W. Michel), Norma Jane (Mrs. Robt. Yamaguchi), John Patrick. Mem. controllers staff Pure O 1934-41; accountant Touche, Niven & Co., C.P.A.'s, Chgo., 1941-42; sr. cons. George Fry & Assos., Chgo., 1942-47; dir. accounting research IBM Corp., 1947-50; asst. treas. Lever Bros., 1950-53; dir. systems planning Lockheed Aircraft Corp., 1953-65; dir. Center Computer Scis. and Tech., Nat. Bur. Standards, 1965-66; spl. asst. to sec. navy, also mem. navy secretariat, 1966-69; prin. S.D. Leidesdorf & Co., 1969—; guest lectr. Japan Mgmt. Assn., Japan Productivity Center, 1963-67. Mem. U.S. delegation UN Conf. Application Sci. and Tech. for Benefit Less Devel. Areas, Geneva, Switzerland, 1963; speaker Internat. Mgmt. Congress CIOs XV, Tokyo, Japan, 1969. Gen. chmn. Incorporation City of Downey, Cal., 1954-56; mem. tech. revision adv. com. City Los Angeles, 1962-65, C.P.A., Cal., Ill., N.Y. Mem. Am. Inst. C.P.A.'s, Cal. Soc. C.P.A.'s, N.Y. Soc. C.P.A.'s, Soc. Mgmt. Information Systems (exec. bd.), Am. Accounting Assn., I.E.E.E., Inst. Mgmt. Scis., Am. Mgmt. Assn. (sr. planning council 1962—). Contr. articles profl. jour. Home: 383 Stanwich Rd Greenwich CT 06830 Office: 125 Park Av New York City NY 10017

REAMS, W. DEWITT, lawyer; b. Tallasee, Ala., Dec. 16, 1916; s. G. H. and Minnie (Daniel) R.; LL.B., U. Ala., 1940; m. Elizabeth Cunningham, May 25, 1940; children—John H., Michael J. Admitted to Ala. bar, 1940, since practiced in Mobile; mem. firm Pillans, Cowley & Gresham, 1940; mem. firm Pillans, Reams, Tappan, Wood & Roberts, 1945—, partner, 1946— Dir. Gulf Pine Co., Inc. Mem. Ala. Alcoholic Beverage Control Bd., 1963-67, chmn. 1967-70; mem. Nat. Alcoholic Beverage Control Assn., 1963-67, dir., 1967-68, v.p., 1969-70. Bd. dirs. Mobile Gen. Hosp., U. Ala. Law Sch. Found. Served to it USNR, 1943-45. Mem. Mobile Bar Assn. (pres.), Mobile Area C. of C. (dir.), Baptist (deacon). Rotarian. Home: 204 Stillwood Lane Mobile AL 36608 Office: Van Antwerp Bldg Mobile AL 36602

REAMY, RODNEY WADSWORTH, utility exec.; b. Potomac Mills, Va., June 4, 1911; s. Charles J. and Frances (Dickinson) R.; student William and Mary Coll., 1928-29, Strayer Bus. Coll., Washington, 1930-31; m. Ada May Elrod, Nov. 25, 1934. With Washington Gas Light Co., 1931—, asst. sec., 1957-64, sec., 1964— Bd. dirs. Washington YMCA, 1967—, Washington United Givers Fund, 1967—, Recipient Distinguished Service award United Givers Fund, 1967. Mem. Am. Gas Assn., Am. Soc. Corp. Secretaries, Met. Washington Bd. Trade, Mantua Citizens Assn. (past pres.), Presbyn. Elk, Lion (bd. dirs. Washington Hosts club). Home: 8913 Colebury Pl Fairfax VA 22030

REANEY, GILBERT, musician, educator; b. Sheffield, Eng., Jan. 11, 1924; s. Lawrence and Mabel (Crookes) R.; B.A. with honors, Sheffield U., 1948, B.Mus., 1950, M.A., 1951; postgrad. U. Paris, 1950-52. Came to U.S., 1960. Researcher, tchr. Reading (Eng.) U., 1953-56, Birmingham (Eng.) U., 1956-59; prof. musicology U. Hamburg, 1960; asso. prof. music dept. U. Cal. at Los Angeles, 1960-63, prof., 1963— Founder, artistic dir. London Medieval Group, 1958—; cons. panel BBC, 1958-60; guest lectr., Eng., Germany, U.S. Served with Brit. Army, 1943-46. Guggenheim fellow, 1964-65; Nat. Humanities Found. sr. fellow, 1967-68. Mem. Am., Internat. (Dent medal 1951) musicological socs., Royal Mus. Assn. Author: Early 15th Century Music, 4 vols., 1955-69; (with A. Gilles and J. Maillard) Philippe de Vitry, Ars Nova, 1964; International Inventory of Musical Source, 2 vols., 1966-69; Manuscripts of Polyphonic Music 11th to Early 14th Century, 1966. Gen. editor: Corpus Scriptorum de Musica; asst. editor Musica Dicipina. Home: 1001 3d St Santa Monica CA 90403 Office: Music Dept. University of Cal Los Angeles CA 90024

REARDON, JOHN, baritone, actor; b. Apr. 8, 1930; grad. Rollins Coll., 1952; studied voice with Margaret Harshaw. Singer with Washington Opera Soc., Dallas Opera Co., Santa Fe Opera, Am. Opera Soc., San Francisco Opera Teatro La Venice (Italy), N.Y. City Opera Co., Met. Opera Assn.; roles include Guglielmo in Così Fan Tutte, title role in Gianni Schicchi, Pelleas in Pelleas et Melisande, Doctor in Vanessa, title role in Don Giovanni, Valentine in Faust, Eisenstein in Die Fledermaus, Belae in Natalie Petrovna, Miles Dunster in Wings of the Dove, Carmina Burana, Scarpia in La Tosca, Nick Shadow in The Rake's Progress, Escamilio in Carmen, Count Almaviva in The Marriage of Figaro, Abdul in The Last Savage, Manuel in La Vida Breve, Marcello in La Boheme, Prince Danilo in The Merry Widow, Dandini in La Cenerentola, Sharpless in Madame Butterfly; Nat. Ednl. TV prodns. Queen of Spades, From the House of the Dead; made Broadway debut in The Saint of Bleecker Street, 1954; appeared in New Faces of 1956, The Soldier, The Song of Norway, Do Re Mi; appeared world premiere Summer and Smoke, Am. premieres Devils of Loudan, Bassarids, The Nose; also other TV appearances including Children's Show Misterogers Neighborhood. Recs. include: The Old Maid and the Thief, The Rake's Progress, The Creation, La Boheme, The Merry Widow, Lady in the Dark also solo album contemporary art songs. Mem. A.F.T.R.A. Address: Director of Public Relations Metropolitan Opera Assn Lincoln Center Plaza New York City NY 10023

REARDON, PAUL CASHMAN, judge; b. Quincy, Mass., Dec. 23, 1909; s. Daniel B. and Mary (Cashman) R.; grad. Phillips Acad., Andover, Mass., 1928; A.B., Harvard, 1932, LL.B., 1935; m. Ann Leich, June 17, 1939; children—Martha, David, Jane, Thomas. Admitted to Mass. bar, 1935, since practiced in Boston; mng. partner Hausermann, Davison & Shattuck, 1948—; gen. counsel Boston C. of C.; spl. counsel to Gov. of Mass., 1953-55; chief justice Mass. Superior Ct., 1955-62; asso. justice Mass. Supreme Judicial Ct., 1962— Mem. exec. com. Mass. com. Catholics, Protestants, and Jews. Trustee New Eng. Conservatory Music, World Peace Found., Boston; vis. com. Harvard Law Sch.; chmn. exec. com. Harvard Overseers, 1961-67; trustee Plimouth Plantation; past trustee Thayer Acad. Served with USNR World War II. Mem. Am. (past chmn. section of judicial adminstr., chmn. com. fair trial-free press), Mass., Boston bar assns., Harvard Alumni Assn. (past pres.), Nat. Conf. State Trial Judges (past chmn.), Am. Law Inst., Inst. Jud. Adminstr., Am. Judica. Soc. (past dir.), Am. Bar Found., Am. Acad. Arts and Scis., Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Alpha Delta. Clubs: Tihonet; Union (Boston). Home: 20 Martins Lane Hingham MA 02043 Office: Ct House Boston MA 02108

REARDON, ROBERT HORMAN, coll. pres.; b. Chgo., Apr. 27, 1919; s. Eugene A. and Mary (Horman) R.; A.B., Anderson and Coll., 1940; B.S., Oberlin Coll., 1943, S. M., 1944; postgrad. Harvard, U. Mich.; L.H.D., DePaul U., 1958; m. Geraldine Elizabeth Hunt, Aug. 24, 1941; children—Rebecca, Constance Kathleen,

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI

RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: CLOSE OF BUSINESS
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BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXTREMELY EXPEDITE
INVESTIGATION OF REAGAN WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL
APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED. PRESS REPORTS INDICATE HE
HAS BEEN APPOINTED MEMBER OF COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE CENTRAL
INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

BORN FEBRUARY 6, 1911, TAMPICO, ILLINOIS, AND SINCE 1967
HAS BEEN GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

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NOTE: Request received today from White House.

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BACKGROUND DATA.

SACRAMENTO IMMEDIATELY OBTAIN COMPLETE BACKGROUND DATA, INCLUDING IDENTITIES AND LOCATIONS OF ALL CLOSE RELATIVES, AND SET OUT NECESSARY LEADS AT ONCE. FURNISH SSAN TO WASHINGTON FIELD FOR IRS CHECK.

CONDUCT NO NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION UNLESS CIRCUMSTANCES ARISE MAKING SUCH ADVISABLE, AT WHICH TIME BUREAU AUTHORITY SHOULD BE OBTAINED.

WHITE HOUSE HAS REQUESTED ORAL SUMMARY OF THIS CASE JANUARY 9, 1975, CONSEQUENTLY BUDED MUST BE MET WITHOUT FAIL. NO DELAY WILL BE TOLERATED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W.R. Wannall

DATE: 1/6/75

FROM : H.A. Boynton, Jr.

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON CIA
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At 8:30 a.m. 1/6/75 Miss Jane Dannenhauer, Staff Assistant (Security), at the White House called Supervisor R.H. Haynes and advised that Mr. Phillip Areeda, Counsel to the President, had requested full-field investigations concerning Ronald Reagan, Lyman Lemnitzer, C. Douglas Dillon, Edgar Shannon, Jr., and John Connor. The White House desires the results of these investigations by the close of business 1/9/75. Miss Dannenhauer advised that she realized this was an extremely short deadline and that an oral report by that time concerning any substantial derogatory information would be satisfactory. This can be followed up by written reports as time permits.

As to other members of the Commission, we have just recently completed an investigation of Nelson A. Rockefeller in connection with his appointment as Vice President. Miss Dannenhauer asked that we "hold" the investigation of Joseph Lane Kirkland and Erwin N. Griswold pending further advice from the White House. She did not indicate the reason that investigations are not being requested at this time.

The Name Check Section previously furnished, on an expedite basis, background information on these individuals directly to Miss Dannenhauer on the evening of 1/3/75.

ACTION:

The Special Investigative Division has initiated expedite Special Inquiry Investigations on the above-named individuals.

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- 1 - Mr. Cleveland (Attn: Young)
- 1 - Mr. Gebhardt (Attn: Hetherington)
- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. Boynton
- 1 - Mr. Haynes

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Miss Dannenhauer called Supervisor R.H. Haynes at 10 a.m. this date and requested that Kirkland and Griswold also be investigated. This is being done.

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI

RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: COB

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YOU SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ADVISE GOVERNOR REAGAN THIS
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RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: COB JANUARY 8, 1975,
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RE BUREAU TELETYPE AND SACRAMENTO TELEPHONE CALL TO LOS
ANGELES, JANUARY 6, 1975.

BY REFERENCED SACRAMENTO TELEPHONE CALL, LOS ANGELES WAS
ADVISED THAT FORMER GOVERNOR REAGAN CURRENTLY RESIDES AT
PACIFIC PALISADES AND THAT INFORMATION REQUESTED REGARDING
COMPLETE BACKGROUND, IDENTIFICATION AND LOCATION OF CLOSE
RELATIVES AND SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER SHOULD BE OBTAINED
BY INQUIRY IN THE LOS ANGELES DIVISION.

CLOSE ASSOCIATES AT SACRAMENTO IDENTIFIED THE FOLLOWING
AS PERSONS IN THE LOS ANGELES AREA WHOM IT MAY BE APPROPRIATE
TO INTERVIEW REGARDING REAGAN:

HOLMES TUTTLE, PROMINENT LINCOLN-MERCURY DEALER.

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WILLIAM FRENCH SMITH, ATTORNEY IN FIRM OF GIBSON, DUNN,
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ED MILLS, T. I. TRUCKING COMPANY.

JUSTIN DART, PRESIDENT, DART INDUSTRIES.

JIM HAYS, LOS ANGELES COUNTY SUPERVISOR.

WILLIAM BANDOWSKY, PRESIDENT, PEPPERDINE COLLEGE.

HENRY LOEBECKE, TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY.

PIERRE GHIRINI, ATTORNEY, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA.

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CLOSE ASSOCIATES AT SACRAMENTO SUGGESTED CASPER
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MENT, AS INDIVIDUAL WHO SHOULD BE INTERVIEWED CONCERNING
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FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2715) (P)

CHANGED; RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY,

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TITLE CHANGED TO REFLECT COMPLETE NAME OF APPOINTEE
AS DEVELOPED DURING PRIOR INVESTIGATION.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO LOS ANGELES DATED JANUARY
6, 1975.

IT IS BEING NOTED REAGAN HAS A LOCAL BUSINESS OFFICE
AT LOS ANGELES AND INQUIRY THERE INDICATES HE WILL NOT BE
AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW FOR ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION
UNTIL 5:00 P.M., LOS ANGELES TIME. REAGAN HOLDS SOCIAL
SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER 480-07-7456.

IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT UNITED STATES SENATOR,
CALIFORNIA, JOHN V. TUNNEY HAS RETURNED TO HIS WASHINGTON,
D. C. OFFICE, WHERE HIS TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 224-3841.

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THE FOLLOWING PERSONS ARE FORMER ASSOCIATES OF
APPOINTEE:

EDWARD V. HICKEY, JR., FORMER DIRECTOR OF
SECURITY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA;

EDWIN MEESE, III, FORMER EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO
APPOINTEE;

CLARENCE NEWTON, FORMER SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO
APPOINTEE.

ALL THESE INDIVIDUALS BASED AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA,
DURING THEIR ASSOCIATION WITH APPOINTEE.

RECIPIENT OFFICES WILL NOTE THAT REAGAN WAS SUBJECT
OF A 116- INVESTIGATION DURING EARLY 1967, WHICH SHOULD BE
REVIEWED AND BROUGHT UP TO DATE WHERE APPROPRIATE.

SACRAMENTO INTERVIEW ABOVE NOTED THREE FORMER
ASSOCIATES OF APPOINTEE.

WASHINGTON FIELD INTERVIEW UNITED STATES SENATOR
JOHN V. TUNNEY.

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FROM: SACRAMENTO (161-455) (P)

RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: COB JANUARY 8, 1975,
WITHOUT FAIL, NO DELAY TOLERATED.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, JANUARY 6, 1975.

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXTREMELY EXPEDITE
INVESTIGATION OF FORMER GOVERNOR REAGAN WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED
FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED. PRESS
REPORT INDICATED HE HAS BEEN APPOINTED MEMBER OF COMMISSION
TO INVESTIGATE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY.

CLOSE ASSOCIATES AT SACRAMENTO IDENTIFY THE FOLLOWING;
AS PERSONS IN THE SAN DIEGO AREA WHOM IT MAY BE APPROPRIATE
TO INTERVIEW REGARDING REAGAN:

GORDON LUCE AND JAMES SCHMIDT, OFFICERS OF SAN DIEGO
SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

BERT RAYNES, PRESIDENT, ROHR INDUSTRIES.

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FROM: SACRAMENTO (161-455) (P)

RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JAN. 8, 1975.

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CLOSE ASSOCIATES AT SACRAMENTO IDENTIFIED FRANK RICHARDSON AND WILLIAM P. CLARK, ASSOCIATE JUSTICES, SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA, AS INDIVIDUALS WHOM IT MIGHT BE APPROPRIATE TO INTERVIEW REGARDING REAGAN.

SAN FRANCISCO ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW JUSTICES RICHARDSON AND CLARK AT 315 MC ALLISTER ST., SAN FRANCISCO.

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FROM LOS ANGELES (161-22715) (P)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: CLOSE OF
BUSINESS JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXTREMELY EXPEDITE
INVESTIGATION OF REAGAN WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR
PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED. PRESS
REPORTS INDICATE HE HAS BEEN APPOINTED MEMBER OF COMMISSION
TO INVESTIGATE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA).

REAGAN, BORN FEBRUARY 6, 1911, TAMPICO, ILLINOIS, AND
HOLDER OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 480-07-7456, HAS SERVED TWO
TERMS AS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE RESIDES AT 1609 SAN ONOFRE,
PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA.

THE FOLLOWING ARE HIS IMMEDIATE RELATIVES:

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FATHER: JOHN EDWARD REAGAN, DECEASED; MOTHER: NELL C. REAGAN, NEE WILSON, DECEASED; BROTHER: NEIL REAGAN, AGE 66, RESIDES 3941 VIA VALLE VERDE, WHISPERING PALMS GREEN, RANCHO SANTA FE, CALIFORNIA; WIFE: NANCY DAVIS REAGAN, AGE 51, 1669 SAN ONOFRE, PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA; FATHER-IN-LAW: DR. LOYAL DAVIS, AGE 77, RESIDES 24 ARIZONA, BILTMORE ESTATES, PHOENIX, ARIZONA; MOTHER-IN-LAW: EDITH DAVIS, AGE UNKNOWN, RESIDES IN PHOENIX WITH FATHER-IN-LAW; DAUGHTER: MAUREEN REAGAN SILLS, AGE 33, BORN LOS ANGELES, RESIDES 1267 1/2 SOUTH DEVON, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, DIVORCED; SON: MICHAEL EDWARD REAGAN, AGE 29, BORN LOS ANGELES, RESIDES AT UNKNOWN NUMBER ON BALL ROAD, ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA, HAS BUSINESS TELEPHONE THERE OF 646-6269, DIVORCED; DAUGHTER: PATRICIA ANN REAGAN, AGE 22, BORN LOS ANGELES, RESIDES 948 14TH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA; SON: RONALD PRESCOTT REAGAN, AGE 16, BORN LOS ANGELES, RESIDES WITH PARENTS.

REAGAN FURNISHED THE NAMES OF HIS FOLLOWING ASSOCIATES:

BARNEY LEONARD, 7113 NORTH TATUM BOULEVARD, PARADISE VALLEY, ARIZONA; DR. STEFAN FOSSONY, CARE OF HOOVER INSTITUTE, PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA; MR. JAQUELIN HUME, 3355 PACIFIC AVENUE, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; JACK VANDENBURG, ASSOCIATED WITH LAW FIRM OF ANTHONY KENNEDY OF SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA; EDWARD WRIGHT, 1441 44TH STREET, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA; GARDINER COLES, FOUR EAST 66TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK; JEROME ZIPKIN, 1175 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK; ROBERT ADAMS

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BOX 468, VALLEY CENTER, CALIFORNIA; RICHARD HAM, 2100 VALLEJO,
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; AL SCHWABACHER, 250 WHISKEY HILL ROAD,
WOODSIDE, CALIFORNIA, BOB SCHOENBERG, 37 WESTMORELAND, ST. LOUIS,
MISSOURI; ELTON RULE, ONE TAUNTON ROAD, SCARSDALE, NEW YORK.

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FROM ST. LOUIS (161-3422) P

RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED COB JANUARY 8, 1975 WITHOUT
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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD, JANUARY 6, 1975.

PERSONNEL, NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST.
LOUIS, MISSOURI, ADVISED ON JANUARY 7, 1975 THAT U. S. ARMY AIR
FORCE RECORD FOR REAGAN, BORN FEBRUARY 6, 1911, WHO SERVED FROM
1942 UNTIL 1945 UNLOCATED THIS CENTER. PERSONNEL FURTHER ADVISED
THAT RECORD MAY BE LOCATED VIP SECTION, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, WASH-
INGTON, D.C. PERSONNEL ALSO ADVISED THAT IF RECORD UNLOCATED
WASHINGTON, D.C., THEN IT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DESTROYED IN THE
JULY, 1973 FIRE AT NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST.
LOUIS, MISSOURI.

ALEXANDRIA, ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND REVIEW U.S. ARMY AIR FORCE
RECORD FOR REAGAN AT VIP SECTION, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, WASHINGTON,
D.C. IF UNLOCATED, RECORD IS TO BE CONSIDERED DESTROYED IN THE
JULY, 1973 FIRE AT NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST.
LOUIS, MISSOURI. THEREAFTER, APPROPRIATE LEAD SHOULD BE SET FORTH

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PERSONNEL, NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, ADVISED ON JANUARY 7, 1975 THAT U. S. ARMY AIR FORCE RECORD FOR REAGAN, BORN FEBRUARY 6, 1911, WHO SERVED FROM 1942 UNTIL 1945 UNLOCATED THIS CENTER. PERSONNEL FURTHER ADVISED THAT RECORD MAY BE LOCATED VIP SECTION, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, WASHINGTON, D. C. PERSONNEL ALSO ADVISED THAT IF RECORD UNLOCATED WASHINGTON, D. C., THEN IT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED DESTROYED IN THE JULY, 1973 FIRE AT NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

ALEXANDRIA, ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND REVIEW U.S. ARMY AIR FORCE RECORD FOR REAGAN AT VIP SECTION, DEPARTMENT OF ARMY, WASHINGTON, D. C. IF UNLOCATED, RECORD IS TO BE CONSIDERED DESTROYED IN THE JULY, 1973 FIRE AT NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER, MILITARY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. THEREAFTER, APPROPRIATE LEAD SHOULD BE SET FORTH

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ALL OFFICES VIA WASHINGTON

FROM: OMAHA (161-772) (PY)
"CHANGED". RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY,
BUDED: COB JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WFO, JANUARY 6, 1975.

TITLE CHANGED TO SET FORTH REAGAN'S COMPLETE
NAME AS CONTAINED IN THE FILES OF THE OMAHA DIVISION.
FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU, INVESTIGATION PREVIOUSLY
CONDUCTED ON REAGAN IN OMAHA DIVISION, CASE ENTITLED
"RONALD WILSON REAGAN, CA 32055, ACAA", OMAHA FILE
116-27132, AND RESULTS FURNISHED THE BUREAU IN OMAHA
REPORT OF SA TIMOTHY G. MC COLLUM DATED FEBRUARY 2,
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4:32PM NITEL 1-7-75 CJR

TO DIRECTOR

FROM SPRINGFIELD (161-743) (2P)

CHANGED. RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY. BUDED:

COB JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

TITLE CHANGED TO REFLECT MIDDLE NAME OF APPLICANT.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, JANUARY 6, 1975.

MRS. L. VAN METER, CLERK, BUREAU OF VITAL RECORDS,
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, ADVISED JANUARY 7, 1975, RONALD WILSON
REAGAN, BORN FEBRUARY 6, 1911, AT TAMPICO, ILLINOIS, TO
PARENTS JOHN EDWARD REAGAN AND NELLIE CLYDE REAGAN NEE WILSON.
BIRTH CERTIFICATE NUMBER 0009756 FILED AUGUST 14, 1942.

ON JANUARY 7, 1975, JANE ASHWORTH, SECRETARY, REGISTRAR'S
OFFICE, EUREKA COLLEGE, EUREKA, ILLINOIS, ADVISED THAT HER
RECORDS REFLECTED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION PERTAINING TO
APPLICANT: NAME- RONALD WILSON REAGAN, DATES OF ATTENDANCE -
SEPTEMBER 14, 1928, THROUGH JUNE 7, 1932. ASHWORTH STATED
REAGAN DID GRADUATE AND RECEIVED A B. A. DEGREE, LISTING A DUAL

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ASHWORTH STATED THAT AT THAT TIME RANK AND CLASS WERE NOT KEPT AND AN ACADEMIC AVERAGE WAS NOT LISTED, HOWEVER, SHE NOTED THERE WERE NO FAILURES LISTED ON APPLICANT'S RECORD. ASHWORTH STATED THAT APPLICANT'S ADDRESS WAS LISTED AS 226 LINCOLNWAY, DIXON, ILLINOIS.

ASHWORTH ADVISED THAT DUE TO THE LENGTH OF TIME SINCE APPLICANT'S ATTENDANCE, IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE WHO APPLICANT'S INSTRUCTORS WERE AND IN ADDITION, SHE COULD NOT THINK OF ANYONE WHO WAS A TEACHER AT THAT TIME. ASHWORTH DID ADVISE THERE WAS NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING APPLICANT.

ON JANUARY 7, 1975, QUENTIN JAMES DURST, SHERIFF, WOODFORD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, EUREKA, ILLINOIS, ADVISED THERE WAS NO RECORD PERTAINING TO APPLICANT.

UACB NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED. RUC.

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TO DIRECTOR
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FROM BALTIMORE 161-FM -RUC- IP

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RONALD REAGAN; SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JAN 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

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REBUTEL TO WFO JAN 6, 1975; BATELCALL TO AX JAN 7, 1975.

DCII, FT. MEADE, MD., WAS CHECKED INSTANT DATE AND REVEALED INFORMATION IDENTICAL WITH APPOINTEE IS LOCATED IN THE FILES OF THE U.S. NAVAL INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE (NIS), WITH THE FOLLOWING FILE NUMBERS: 1959, L-NNIS, NUMBER M05911066; 1970, L-NNIS, NUMBER M11060768; 1968, L-NNIS, NUMBER M10830725; AND 1968, L-NNIS, NUMBER M10581262.

ALEXANDRIA TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED INSTANT DATE TO REVIEW NIS FILES AND WILL SUBMIT RESULTS.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM ST. LOUIS (-161-3422) RUC

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REBUTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD, JANUARY 6, 1975; LOS ANGELES NITEL, JANUARY 6, 1975; AND ST. LOUIS TEL TO BUREAU, JANUARY 7, 1975.

RECORDS, NATIONAL PERSONNEL RECORDS CENTER-CIVILIAN, ST. LOUIS, MO., DISCLOSED RONALD REAGAN, SSN 480-07-7456, EMPLOYED BY ADVISORY COMMISSION ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, SACRAMENTO, CALIF., AS MEMBER, INTERMITTENT, WITHOUT COMPENSATION FROM MAY 22, 1970, TP MAY 21, 1972. TERMINATED BY REASON OF EXPIRATION OF LIMITED APPOINTMENT. DATE OF BIRTH SHOWN AS FEBRUARY 6, 1911, PLACE NOT INDICATED. NO UNFAVORABLE INFORMATION NOTED IN CIVILIAN RECORDS.

ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ROBERT H. SHOENBERG, 37 WESTMINSTER PLACE, ST. LOUIS, MO., VICE PRESIDENT OF THE INVESTMENT COMPANY, SIDENY M. SHOENBERG, INC., 500 NORTH BROADWAY, ST. LOUIS, MO., ADVISED HE HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH RONALD REAGAN AND MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY ON A

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SOCIAL BASIS FOR 17 OR 18 YEARS. SHOENBERG SAID THEY INITIALLY MET WHEN BOTH THE REAGAN AND SHOENBERG FAMILIES WERE VACATIONING IN CORONADO, CALIF., SOME 18 YEARS AGO. HE SAID THAT FOR A PERIOD OF 10 YEARS OR MORE THE TWO FAMILIES VISITED TOGETHER IN CORONADO, CALIF., FOR PERIODS OF TWO WEEKS. SHOENBERG DESCRIBED REAGAN AS AN INDIVIDUAL OF HIGHEST IDEALS, OF EXCELLENT REPUTATION, CHARACTER AND ASSOCIATIONS. HE HAS NEVER HAD ANY REASON TO QUESTION REAGAN'S LOYALTY TO THIS COUNTRY AND KNOWS OF NOTHING OF UNFAVORABLE OR ADVERSE NATURE CONCERNING REAGAN AND/OR ANY MEMBER OF REAGAN'S IMMEDIATE FAMILY. SHOENBERG HIGHLY RECOMMENDED REAGAN FOR POSITION OF TRUST WITH U. S. GOVERNMENT.

NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED, UACB.

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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: ALEXANDRIA (161-2876) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED:
CLOSE OF BUSINESS JANUARY 8, 1975 WITHOUT FAIL.

REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE, JANUARY 6, 1975; OMAHA
TELETYPE, JANUARY 7, 1975; BALTIMORE TELETYPE, JANUARY 7,
1975; ST. LOUIS TELETYPE, JANUARY 7, 1975; AND ALEXANDRIA
TELEPHONE CALL TO THE BUREAU, JANUARY 7, 1975.

SA EDWARD C. RUDIGER CAUSED A SEARCH TO BE MADE OF THE
FILES OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, AND WAS ADVISED ON
JANUARY 8, 1975, THAT THE FILES CONTAINED NO PERTINENT
IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE.

SC JOHN B. ARMSTRONG ON JANUARY 7, 1975, CAUSED A SEARCH
OF THE VIP SECTION, THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, ALEXANDRIA,
VIRGINIA, AND WAS ADVISED THAT NO RECORD OF THE APPOINTEE
COULD BE LOCATED.

PER REFERENCED ALEXANDRIA TELEPHONE CALL, NO REVIEW OF
APPOINTEE'S MILITARY RECORDS BEING MADE DUE TO PREVIOUS
INVESTIGATION REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED OMAHA TELETYPE.

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ON JANUARY 6, 1975, SA FRANK LATESSA WAS ADVISED BY MRS. VIRGINIA PRICE, OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF ARMY, SECURITY BRANCH, PENTAGON ADVISED SHE COULD LOCATE NO RECORD OF APPOINTEE. IT IS POINTED OUT THAT ANY NATIONAL AGENCY NAME CHECK WOULD BE ROUTINELY CHECKED THROUGH DCII BY THE BALTIMORE OFFICE.

SC ARMSTRONG CAUSED A SEARCH TO BE MADE OF THE FILES OF THE NAVAL INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE (NIS) HEADQUARTERS AND WAS ADVISED ON JANUARY 8, 1975, THAT THE FILES CONTAINED NO ADDITIONAL PERTINENT INFORMATION CONCERNING THE APPOINTEE.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2715) (P)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: CLOSE OF
BUSINESS JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU, EACH DATED JANUARY 6,
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REGARDING REAGAN.

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RECORDS, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, LOS ANGELES, AND
STATE OF CALIFORNIA FRANCHISE TAX BOARD, LOS ANGELES, CONTAIN:
NO RECORD OF ANY TAX LIENS AGAINST REAGAN OR HIS WIFE.

ARREST

RECORDS OF SHERIFF'S OFFICE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, LOS
ANGELES, AND POLICE DEPARTMENT OF LOS ANGELES, WHICH ALSO
COVERS PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA, NEGATIVE REGARDING
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RECORDS, TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BUREAU, MUNICIPAL COURT, LOS ANGELES JUDICIAL DISTRICT, LOS ANGELES, NEGATIVE REGARDING REAGAN.

IT IS BEING NOTED THAT CAPTAIN OTTIE HUNTER, COMMANDING OFFICER OF THE CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL (CHP), SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT AT NO TIME HAD ANY TRAFFIC CITATION EVER BEEN ISSUED IN THE AREA HE IS COMMANDING TO RONALD REAGAN.

HUNTER IS AWARE THAT REAGAN WAS STOPPED BY THE HIGHWAY PATROL

SHORTLY AFTER CHRISTMAS AS HE WAS LEAVING HIS RANCH IN HIS STATION WAGON, WHICH WAS BEING DRIVEN BY A MEMBER OF THE CHP. PRECEDING

THE STATION WAGON WAS A PURSUIT VEHICLE, ACCOMPANYING REAGAN,

WHICH WAS MAINTAINED BY MEMBERS OF THE CHP. AS THEY WERE MAKING THEIR WAY BACK TO REAGAN'S HOME AT PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA,

ANOTHER CHP CAR PURSUED REAGAN'S STATION WAGON AS IT RESEMBLED ONE WHICH WAS INVOLVED IN A CRIME. WHEN THIS PURSUING VEHICLE CAME

ABREAST OF REAGAN'S STATION WAGON, HIS COMPANION CHP MEMBER ATTEMPTED TO CONTACT THE PURSUING CHP VEHICLE ON WHAT HUNTER

TERMED WAS THE ADMINISTRATIVE RADIO CHANNEL. HOWEVER, THEY WERE UNSUCCESSFUL IN CONTACTING PURSUING CHP MEMBER. IT WAS AT THIS

TIME THAT REAGAN'S CHP PARTY STOPPED THEIR VEHICLES TO INFORM THE PURSUING CHP MEMBERS OF ^{THE} ~~THEIR~~ IDENTITY OF REAGAN. ACCORDING TO

CAPTAIN HUNTER, THIS WAS THE END OF THE MATTER.

REFERENCES:

① HOLMES TUTTLE, PRESIDENT OF HOLMES TUTTLE FORD, 7122 NEVERLY

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BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED THAT HE AND REAGAN HAVE BEEN CLOSE FRIENDS FOR THE PAST EIGHT YEARS. HE SAID REAGAN IS A MAN OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, A VERY GIFTED, INTELLIGENT MAN AND ONE WHOSE DEDICATION TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THE AMERICAN FORM OF GOVERNMENT IS UNEQUALLED. TUTTLE IS OF THE OPINION THAT REAGAN IS A WISE CHOICE FOR THE POSITION IN QUESTION. HE ADDED REAGAN WILL BE FAIR AND IMPARTIAL IN ALL HIS CONCLUSIONS AND FINDINGS WHICH HIS STAFF DEVELOPS IN THIS ASSIGNMENT.

TUTTLE ADDED THAT REAGAN IS A MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER AND REPUTATION. HE KNOWS NOTHING DEROGATORY ABOUT ANY OF HIS ACTIVITIES OR HIS ASSOCIATES AND HE GIVES HIM HIS HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING THE INTEREST OF THE U.S.

② DR. WILLIAM BANOWSKY, PRESIDENT OF PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY, MALIBU CAMPUS, 24255 WEST PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN SINCE 1964. HE SAID REAGAN IS A MAN WHO SUBSCRIBES TO A CODE OF MORAL ETHICS WHICH CANNOT BE CHALLENGED. HE ADDED THAT REAGAN IS A GENUINELY HONEST, DOWN TO EARTH AND UNCOMPLICATED MAN, WHO HAS A VERY HIGH REGARD FOR THE U.S. HE SAID REAGAN CANNOT BE COMPROMISED AND IS A MAN OF FIRM CONVICTIONS WHO IS TALENTED AND VERY INTELLIGENT. HE WENT ON TO SAY HIS CHARACTER IS BEYOND QUESTION AND HIS REPUTATION IS SOUND. HE ADDED REAGAN ASSOCIATES WITH ONLY THOSE PERSONS OF EQUALLY HIGH CHARACTER. BANOWSKY RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING THE INTEREST OF THE U.S.

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ASSOCIATES

③ Ernest J.

LOEBECKE, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, IT CORPORATION, THE PARENT COMPANY OF TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, 433 SOUTH SPRING STREET, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS. DURING LOEBECKE'S TENURE AS PRESIDENT OF THE CALIFORNIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, HE HAD FREQUENT CONTACT WITH REAGAN. HE ASSESSES REAGAN AS A MAN OF CONSIDERABLE ABILITY, WHO CAN ANALYZE AND UNDERSTAND WITH ~~EASE~~ ^{REQUIRING} FAST COMPLICATED PROBLEMS, ~~NOTHING FOR~~ INTELLIGENT AND EARLY SOLUTIONS. HE SAID REAGAN IS NOT EASILY SWAYED IN HIS OPINION, BUT AT THE SAME TIME IS AMENABLE TO ACCEPTING THE VIEW POINTS OF OTHERS PROVIDED THEY CAN CONVINCE HIM OF THEIR WORTHINESS. HE IS CONVINCED THAT REAGAN WILL PERFORM HIS COMMISSION TASKS IN AN EXEMPLARY MANNER.

LOEBECKE KNOWS NOTHING OF A DEROGATORY NATURE CONCERNING THE PERSONAL BEHAVIOR OR CONDUCT OF REAGAN, WHOM HE BELIEVES IS A MAN WHO DISPLAYS A HIGH DEGREE OF ALLEGIANCE ^{TO THE U.S.} TO THE U.S. HE SAID REAGAN IS A MAN OF SOUND REPUTATION AND CHARACTER AND THAT HIS ASSOCIATES ARE ABOVE REPROACH. HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING THE INTEREST OF THE U.S.

④ BOB SIX, PRESIDENT, CONTINENTAL AIRLINES, 101 CONTINENTAL, EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN A CLOSE PERSONAL FRIEND OF REAGAN FOR THE PAST 25 YEARS. HE STATED REAGAN IS A DEVOTED FAMILY MAN AND IS HAPPILY MARRIED. HE BELIEVES REAGAN WILL MAKE AN OUTSTANDING CANDIDATE FOR THE COMMISSION IN QUESTION.

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HE SAID HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION.

(6) CHESTER L. MIGDEN, NATIONAL EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, SCREEN ACTORS GUILD (SAG), 7750 SUNSET BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, SAID HE HAS BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH REAGAN ON BOTH A BUSINESS AND SOCIAL BASIS FOR THE PAST 20 YEARS. MIGDEN SAID THAT REAGAN WAS PRESIDENT OF THE SAG FOR FIVE OR SIX TERMS AND ACQUITTED HIMSELF IN AN EXTRAORDINARY MANNER. MIGDEN SAID REAGAN GAVE EARLY EVIDENCE OF LEADERSHIP QUALITIES WHICH CONVINCED HIS ASSOCIATES THAT HE HAD THE POTENTIAL TO BECOME AN EFFECTIVE LEADER WHICH TIME HAS PROVEN TO BE TRUE. MIGDEN ALSO HAS HAD THE GREATEST PERSONAL RESPECT FOR REAGAN WHO ^{always} ALSO HAS EXHIBITED A SENSE OF FAIR PLAY. MIGDEN SAID REAGAN IS AN ARTICULATE SPEAKER AND IS A SKILLED AND ABLE NEGOTIATOR. HE SAID REAGAN WAS INTIMATELY INVOLVED IN MANY PRECEDENT SETTING LABOR NEGOTIATIONS, WHILE PRESIDENT OF THE SAG, WHICH CONTINUE TO THIS DAY TO BENEFIT THE ACTORS AND ACTRESSES ASSOCIATED WITH THE SAG. AT THE SAME TIME REAGAN PLAYED MANY MAJOR ROLES IN RESOLVING STRIKE ISSUES. MIGDEN NEVER HAS HEARD ANY UNFAVORABLE INFORMATION WITH RESPECT TO THE REPUTATION OR CHARACTER OF REAGAN. HE SAID REAGAN IS A LOYAL AMERICAN WHO WOULD ASSOCIATE WITH NO PERSON WHO SUBSCRIBED TO ANY STANDARD OF CONDUCT OTHER THAN THE HIGHEST. HE SAID HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR A POSITION INVOLVING THE INTEREST OF THE U.S.

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ALSO COMMENTED IN SIMILAR FASHION CONCERNING REAGAN:

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⑦ MR. PIER CHERINI, ATTORNEY, 230 LA ARCADE BUILDING,
SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA, KNOWN SINCE 1964;

⑧ GEORGE MURPHY, FORMER U.S. SENATOR, 370 SOUTH CANYON VIEW
DRIVE, LOS ANGELES, KNOWN 25 YEARS;

⑨ WALTER PIDGEON, FILM PERFORMER, 230 STRADA CORTA AVENUE,
LOS ANGELES, KNOWN 30 YEARS.

⑩ U.S. SENATOR ALAN CRANSTON, DEMOCRAT, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED
THAT HE HAS NO REASON TO QUESTION THE INTEGRITY, CHARACTER,
LOYALTY OR ASSOCIATES OF REAGAN INSOFAR AS IT APPLIES TO HIS
SELECTION FOR THE COMMITTEE IN QUESTION. BUT HE SAID HE
CHALLENGES REAGAN'S CAPABILITIES. HE MEANT BY THIS THAT HE IS
NOT CONVINCED REAGAN INDICATES ENOUGH CONCERN FOR THE SORT OF
THREAT TO THE CIVIL LIBERTIES OF INDIVIDUALS WHICH THE
ALLEGED ACTIVITIES OF THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY (CIA)
IMPOSES. HE FURTHER STATED THAT HE QUESTIONS REAGAN'S
COMMITMENT TO THE TASK HE WILL BE CONFRONTED WITH WHILE A
MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION IN QUESTION. BECAUSE OF THIS CRANSTON
SAID HE WOULD NOT RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR THIS DUTY. CRANSTON
REFUSED TO RENDER ANY FURTHER EXPLANATION OF HIS FEELINGS OR
VIEWPOINT CONCERNING THIS MATTER.

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FROM: OMAHA (161-772) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: COB
JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WFO, JANUARY 6, 1975, AND
OMAHA TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JANUARY 7, 1975.

OMAHA INDICES REVEAL A CASE ENTITLED "DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA COALITION FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE TO PROTECT APPEARANCE OF CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN IN LINCOLN, NEBRASKA, FEBRUARY 21, 1972," OMAHA FILE 100-8609. A LHM CAPTIONED "THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT" DATED MARCH 7, 1972, WAS FURNISHED THE BUREAU.

ON FEBRUARY 21, 1972, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ADVISED THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA COALITION FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE (NU CPJ) SPONSORED A DEMONSTRATION TO PROTEST THE APPEARANCE OF GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN AT THE REPUBLICAN FUND-RAISING DINNER FOR NEBRASKA SENATOR CARL CURTIS WHICH WAS HELD THAT DATE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA COLISEUM. THE NU CPJ IS A

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LOOSELY STRUCTURED NEW LEFT TYPE STUDENT GROUP WHICH HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN PREVIOUS PEACEFUL ANTI-WAR PROTESTS. ACCORDING TO ITS ORGANIZER THE PROTEST WAS BEING HELD BECAUSE SOMEONE OF REAGAN'S PROMINENCE SHOULD NOT BE ABLE TO VISIT A CAMPUS "WITHOUT HAVING TO PASS BY A FEW UNDESIREABLES". THE DEMONSTRATION CONSISTED OF A FREE SOUP KITCHEN OUTSIDE THE UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA COLISEUM.

THERE WAS NO PLAN BY THE DEMONSTRATORS TO GO INSIDE THE BUILDING UNTIL THE NIGHT OF THE DINNER WHEN ONE OF THE GUESTS GAVE EXTRA TICKETS TO SOME OF THE DEMONSTRATORS.

DURING THE DINNER ONE OF THE INDIVIDUALS HELD UP A BANNER CONTAINING THE WORDS "REAGAN AND CURTIS ARE UNJUST," AND HE WAS IMMEDIATELY EJECTED FROM THE COLISEUM BY A UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA CAMPUS SECURITY OFFICER.

NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED, UACB.

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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: BALTIMORE (161-FM) (RUC) *N*

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JANUARY 8,

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RE BALTIMORE NITEL TO BUREAU AND ALEXANDRIA,
JANUARY 7, 1975 AND OMAHA TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JANUARY 7,
1975.

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REGARDING RONALD WILSON REAGAN AND REVEALED NOTHING
ADDITIONAL TO REFERENCED BALTIMORE NITEL.

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FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (161-2518) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED CLOSE
OF BUSINESS ON JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED JANUARY 6, 1975, SACRAMENTO
NITEL DATED JANUARY 6, 1975, AND LOS ANGELES NITEL DATED
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ON JANUARY 7, 1975, WILLIAM P. CLARK, JR., ASSOCIATE
JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN
THE APPOINTEE FOR APPROXIMATELY TEN YEARS ON BOTH A SOCIAL
AND PROFESSIONAL BASIS. JUDGE CLARK ADVISED HE HAD BEEN
GOVERNOR REAGAN'S CHIEF OF STAFF, WHICH CONSISTED OF A STAFF
OF NINETY PEOPLE, DURING THE APPOINTEE'S FIRST TWO YEARS,
1967 AND 1968. JUDGE CLARK STATED THE APPOINTEE IS A MAN
OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, MORAL CHARACTER, AND HIS LOYALTY
TO THIS COUNTRY IS ABOVE QUESTION. HE THEREFORE RECOMMENDS
HIM FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE FOR WHICH HE
MIGHT BE CONSIDERED.

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ON JANUARY 7, 1975, FRANK RICHARDSON, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE,
SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN WELL

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ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE SINCE 1970 ON BOTH A PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIAL BASIS, AND ACTED AS THE APPOINTEE'S POLITICAL CHAIRMAN OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY IN 1970 DURING HIS POLITICAL CAMPAIGN. JUDGE RICHARDSON STATED THAT WHILE HE DOES NOT ALWAYS SEE EYE TO EYE WITH THE APPOINTEE, HE REGARDS HIM AS A MAN OF OUTSTANDING CHARACTER, BOTH PERSONALLY AND PROFESSIONALLY. HE IS OF UNQUESTIONED INTEGRITY, MORAL CHARACTER, AND ASSOCIATES. JUDGE RICHARDSON ALSO STATED THE APPOINTEE IS AN ARTICULATE INDIVIDUAL AND A CAREFUL EXECUTIVE WHOM HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

③ ON JANUARY 7, 1975, RICHARD HAM, ATTORNEY, 1 EMBARCADERO CENTER, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE SINCE HE WAS FIRST ELECTED GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE STATED HIS WIFE IS A FRIEND OF THE APPOINTEE'S WIFE AND THEY ARE GOOD FRIENDS AND THERE RELATIONSHIP IS PRIMARILY SOCIAL. MR. HAM STATED HE IS HAPPY TO RECOMMEND THE APPOINTEE AS

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A MAN OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, LOYALTY TO THIS COUNTRY,
HIGH MORAL CHARACTER, AND GOOD ASSOCIATES.

(4) ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ALBERT E. SCHWABACHER, JR., WALKER,
G. H. LAIRD, INCORPORATED, INVESTMENTS, 650 CALIFORNIA
STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN
ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE SINCE 1938. SCHWABACHER
STATED, IN HIS OPINION, THE APPOINTEE IS A CHARMING GENTLEMAN,
FINE CITIZEN, WHO HAS DONE A REMARKABLE JOB IN HIS POSITION
AS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. MR. SCHWABACHER STATED HIS
ACQUAINTANCE WITH THE APPOINTEE IS LIMITED TO A SOCIAL BASIS,
AS HE HIMSELF LIKES TO REMAIN OUT OF THE POLITICAL SCENE.
HE FURTHER STATED THE APPOINTEE IS A MAN OF HIGH MORAL
CHARACTER, UNQUESTIONED INTEGRITY, GOOD ASSOCIATES, AND A
VERY LOYAL CITIZEN OF THIS COUNTRY, WHOM HE IS PLEASED TO
RECOMMEND FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE.

(11) ON JANUARY 7, 1975, DR. RICHARD F. STAAR, ASSOCIATE
DIRECTOR, HOOVER INSTITUTION ON WAR, REVOLUTION AND PEACE,
(HIWRP), STANFORD UNIVERSITY, STANFORD, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED
THAT DR. STEFAN POSSONY, SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW, HIWRP,

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IS IN SOUTH AFRICA AND IS NOT EXPECTED TO RETURN TO STANFORD UNTIL FEBRUARY, 1975.

(S) ON JANUARY 8, 1975, JAQUELIN HOLLIDAY HUME, AMERICAN POTATO COMPANY, 555 CALIFORNIA STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE SINCE 1965 ON BOTH A SOCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL BASIS. MR. HUME ADVISED HE HAD BEEN ONE OF THE FIRST PEOPLE TO URGE THE APPOINTEE TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE STATED HE HAS SINCE HELPED IN HIS CAMPAIGNS AND FINDS THE APPOINTEE TO BE A TOP QUALITY INDIVIDUAL OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, MORAL CHARACTER, AND ASSOCIATES. MR. HUME FURTHER STATED THE APPOINTEE IS AN INTELLIGENT INDIVIDUAL WHOM HE HAS SEEN UNDER A VARIETY OF CONDITIONS AND THERE HAS NEVER BEEN ANY INDICATION OF ANYTHING SHADY OR SELF-SERVING ABOUT THIS INDIVIDUAL, AND HE IS MOST HAPPY TO RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN; SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED CLOSE OF BUSINESS

JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU DATED INSTANT DATE.

ROBERT JOHNSON, VICE PRESIDENT, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY, ADVISED INSTANT DATE APPOINTEE FORMERLY EX-OFFICIO MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SYSTEM, HOWEVER, UPON LEAVING THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR, APPOINTEE IS NO LONGER MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS.

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: CLOSE OF
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RELATEL TO BUREAU, JANUARY 6, 1975.

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ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ELTON H. RULE, PRESIDENT, AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANIES, INCORPORATED (ABC), 1330 SIXTH AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, ADVISED SA MICHAEL J. WALSH, JR., HE FIRST MET APPOINTEE APPROXIMATELY TEN YEARS AGO WHEN HE AND APPOINTEE WERE INVOLVED IN BROADCASTING RELATED SUBJECTS. AT THAT TIME RULE SAID HE HELD POSITION OF GENERAL MANAGER OF CALIFORNIA BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION AND ALSO ABC TELEVISION IN CALIFORNIA. HE STATED THAT HE AND APPOINTEE HAVE MUTUAL FRIENDS IN ENTERTAINMENT BUSINESS AND THEY BOTH HAVE SUMMER HOMES AT TRANCAS BEACH, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA. ~~REAGAN HAS HAD SEVERAL CONVERSATIONS WITH APPOINTEE AND HE CONSIDERS HIM A PERSON OF ABSOLUTE INTEGRITY. HE STATED APPOINTEE IS VERY LEVEL HEADED, VERY CONSERVATIVE IN ALL HIS UNDERTAKINGS AND HE DEALS WITH ALL PROBLEMS AND SITUATIONS IN MOST LOGICAL AND VERY THOROUGH~~

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MANNER. HE ADDED THAT APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE AND FAMILY ARE PERSONS OF EXCELLENT MORAL CHARACTER AND REPUTATION. HE HAS NEVER KNOWN OR HEARD OF ANYTHING CONCERNING APPOINTEE OR HIS FAMILY WHICH, IF IT BECAME PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE, WOULD PROVE EMBARRASSING EITHER TO THE APPOINTEE OR THE POSITION FOR WHICH HE IS BEING APPOINTED. RULE STATED APPOINTEE IS A MOST LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZEN WHOSE DEFINITE INTEREST IS IN THE WELFARE OF THIS COUNTRY AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. RULE EMPHASIZED THAT HE WOULD WHOLEHEARTEDLY RECOMMEND APPOINTEE WITHOUT ANY RESERVATIONS FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

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② ON JANUARY 8, 1975, GARDINER COWLES, HONORARY CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, COWLES COMMUNICATIONS, 488 MADISON AVENUE, ADVISED SA WALSH HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE FOR APPROXIMATELY 30 YEARS. HE MET HIM WHEN APPOINTEE WAS IN THE MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY AND HE, COWLES, WAS PUBLISHER OF LOOK MAGAZINE. HE HAS KEPT IN COMMUNICATION WITH THE APPOINTEE DURING ALL THESE YEARS AND HAS ENTERTAINED HIM IN HIS HOME WHEN APPOINTEE WAS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE HAS ALWAYS REGARDED APPOINTEE AS A STABLE, RESPONSIBLE AND UNBIASED INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS A DEEP CONCERN AND INTEREST IN THE UNITED STATES AND ITS PEOPLE. HE SAID APPOINTEE IS OF COMPLETE HONESTY AND INTEGRITY, AND NOTHING HAS EVER COME TO HIS ATTENTION WHICH, IF IT BECAME PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE, WOULD CAUSE EMBARRASSMENT TO THE APPOINTEE OR ANY POSITION TO WHICH HE MAY BE APPOINTED. HE HAS NEVER HAD ANY REASON TO QUESTION APPOINTEE'S MORAL CHARACTER, REPUTATION OR LOYALTY, AND HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED HIM FOR A RESPONSIBLE POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

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③ ON JANUARY 8, 1975, JESOME ZIPKIN, 1175 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK, APARTMENT 12 C, ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH ~~THE~~ APPOINTEE FOR OVER TEN YEARS AND INITIALLY MET HIM THROUGH A MUTUAL FRIEND, ALFRED BLOOMINGDALE, IN CALIFORNIA. HE SAID ~~THE~~ HIS ASSOCIATION WITH ~~THE~~ APPOINTEE HAS BEEN STRICTLY ON A SOCIAL BASIS. HE CONSIDERS HIM AN "EXTREMELY SOLID CITIZEN" AND ~~A~~ PERSON WHOSE MORAL CHARACTER, REPUTATION AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES ARE ALL ABOVE REPROACH. HE SAID ~~THE~~ APPOINTEE IS A VERY SINCERE, DOWN TO EARTH AND STABLE INDIVIDUAL, WHO NEVER DEALS WITH ANY PROBLEMS RASHLY OR ~~THE~~ HURRIEDLY AND ARRIVES AT HIS CONCLUSIONS ONLY AFTER CONSIDERABLE THOUGHT AND STUDY OF THE SITUATION. HE SAID NOTHING HAS EVER COME TO HIS ATTENTION CONCERNING APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY WHICH, IF IT WERE DIVULGED AT A FUTURE DATE, WOULD PROVE EMBARRASSING EITHER TO ~~THE~~ APPOINTEE OR TO ~~THE~~ POSITION FOR WHICH HE MAY BE APPOINTED. HE ADDED THE APPOINTEE'S REPUTATION IS THE BEST, NOT ONLY WITH THOSE WHO WORKED CLOSELY WITH HIM, BUT AMONGST ALL THE PEOPLE AFFILIATED WITH THE STATE GOVERNMENT OF CALIFORNIA.

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HE SAID IT WAS HIS OPINION APPOINTEE HELD ~~THE~~ INTEREST OF THE
PEOPLE OF CALIFORNIA, WHILE HE WAS GOVERNOR, TO BE HIS UTMOST
OBLIGATION AND HE DID ONLY WHAT HE THOUGHT WAS BEST FOR THE
MAJORITY OF THE PEOPLE. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED APPOINTEE FOR
ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN THE UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT.

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AS HE IS HONEST, STRONG AND A VERY INTELLIGENT PERSON. HE IS OF THE OPINION ~~THAT~~ REAGAN IS A GOOD STAFF MAN AND WILL APPLY HIMSELF TO HIS TASKS WITH FAR GREATER ZEAL ^{THAN} THAT HIS COLLEAGUES. HE ADDED THAT REAGAN IS AN AVID READER AND HAS THE SKILL OF RETAINING TO A HIGH DEGREE VOLUMES OF SUBJECT MATTERS HE STUDIES. ALTHOUGH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION MAY HAVE BROADER KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING INTELLIGENCE MATTERS, SIX FEELS REAGAN WILL BE HIS OWN MAN AND ARRIVE AT GOOD SOLID CONCLUSIONS, INDEPENDENTLY OF HIS MORE EXPERIENCED COLLEAGUES. SIX WENT ON TO SAY THAT REAGAN IS A MAN OF VERY HIGH INTEGRITY, LOYAL TO HIS COUNTRY AND OF SOUND CHARACTER AND REPUTATION. HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING THE INTEREST OF THE U.S.

⑤ TEX THORNTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF LITTON INDUSTRIES, 360 NORTH CRESCENT DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA, SAID HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR THE PAST 15 YEARS. HE SAID REAGAN IS A TOP ADMINISTRATOR AND A VERY GIFTED, INTELLIGENT INDIVIDUAL. HE SAID REAGAN IS NOT A "RUBBER STAMP" MAN WHO GIVES ONLY SUPERFICIAL TREATMENT TO IMPORTANT MATTERS. HE IS A HARD WORKER WHO GIVES SERIOUS THOUGHT TO MATTERS AFFECTING HIS COUNTRY. THORNTON ADDED THAT REAGAN IS A MAN OF VERY TEMPERATE HABITS, DEVOTED TO HIS FAMILY AND HIGH ⁴⁴ ETHICAL. HIS CHARACTER AND REPUTATION ARE ABOVE REPROACH AND HIS ^{ALLEGIANCE} ALLIANCE TO THE U.S. IS UNQUESTIONED. THORNTON IS OF THE OPINION THAT REAGAN'S ASSOCIATES ARE PERSONS OF EQUALLY HIGH CHARACTER.

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FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2715) (P)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY; BUDED: CLOSE OF

BUSINESS JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU, EACH DATED JANUARY 6,
1975, AND LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU OF JANUARY 7, 1975.

REFERENCE.

① WILLIAM FRENCH SMITH, SENIOR PARTNER, GIBSON, DUNN AND
CRUTCHER, ATTORNEYS, 515 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, LOS ANGELES,
HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR PAST 15 YEARS. HE ALSO IS WELL ACQUAINTED
WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF REAGAN'S FAMILY. SMITH HAS HIGHEST
REGARD FOR REAGAN WHOM HE VIEWS AS A MAN OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY.
HE SAID REAGAN IS A DEDICATED AMERICAN WHOSE ALLEGIANCE TO
THIS COUNTRY IS UNSWERVING. HIS CHARACTER AND REPUTATION ARE
ABOVE REPROACH. HE ALSO SAID THAT REAGAN'S ASSOCIATES ARE
MEN WHO SUBSCRIBE TO HIGHEST MORAL STANDARDS. SMITH FEELS
SURE REAGAN IS A HIGHLY COMPETENT INDIVIDUAL WHO POSSESSES A
BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF BOTH DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS.
HE ALSO SAID REAGAN WILL ACQUIT HIMSELF IN AN EXEMPLARY MANNER

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AS MEMBER OF COMMISSION IN QUESTION. HE HAS THE ABILITY TO ANALYZE BROAD INFORMATION CONCERNING ANY SUBJECT MATTER AND THE ABILITY TO ARRIVE AT OBJECTIVE CONCLUSIONS. REAGAN'S CHOICE AS MEMBER OF COMMISSION IN QUESTION IS A VERY GOOD ONE, ACCORDING TO SMITH WHO FEELS THE U. S. IS FORTUNATE TO HAVE A MAN OF REAGAN'S OVERALL CAPABILITIES ACTING IN ITS BEHALF. SMITH RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION.

ASSOCIATES.

② EDWARD MILLS, MEMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS, GI TRUCKING COMPANY, 14727 ALONDRA BOULEVARD, LA MIRADA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN A CLOSE PERSONAL FRIEND OF REAGAN'S FOR PAST 9 YEARS. MILLS, WHO IS A FORMER TREASURER AND FINANCE CHAIRMAN OF REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF CALIFORNIA, RELATED THAT REAGAN HAS MADE A MARK AS A SUCCESSFUL EXECUTIVE WHICH CAN BE READILY OBSERVED BY MANNER IN WHICH HE LED STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR 8 YEARS. HIS SERVICE TO CALIFORNIA WAS UNSELFISH AND CAN EASILY BE ASSESSED FROM A STANDPOINT OF THE MANY WORTHWHILE CONTRIBUTIONS BOTH HE AND HIS ADMINISTRATION HAVE MADE TO PEOPLE OF CALIFORNIA. MILLS SAID REAGAN IS A VERY INTELLIGENT MAN WHO IS LOYAL TO U.S.

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HE SAID HIS CHARACTER AND ASSOCIATES ARE ABOVE REPROACH AND HE IS A MAN OF VERY SOUND REPUTATION. HE FURTHER RELATED REAGAN'S SKILL AS ADMINISTRATOR IS HARD TO EQUAL AND HE FEELS HE WILL PERFORM TASKS ^{AS} OF A MEMBER OF COMMISSION IN QUESTION IN HIS USUAL HIGH COMPETENT MANNER. MILLS RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION.

③ MRS. HELENE VON DAMM, PERSONAL SECRETARY TO REAGAN, SUITE 812, 10960 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, RELATED SHE HAS BEEN REAGAN'S PERSONAL SECRETARY FOR PAST 5 YEARS. IT IS HER VIEW HIS PERSONAL CONDUCT AND BEHAVIOR ^{ARE} IS ABSOLUTELY ABOVE REPROACH. SHE STATED HE IS A HARD WORKER AND DEDICATES HIMSELF WHOLEHEARTEDLY TO ALL WORTHWHILE TASKS HE UNDERTAKES. SHE SAID HE IS AN AVID STUDENT OF HISTORY AND SHE IS SURPRISED HOW WELL HE DRAWS PARALLELS BETWEEN EVENTS OF ^{THE} PAST AS THEY RELATE TO PARTICULAR PRESENT-DAY SITUATIONS. HE ANALYZES THIS INFORMATION AND USES THIS KNOWLEDGE ~~IN A MANNER~~ TO AVOID MAKING THE ^{WALCOTT'S MISTAKE} SAME MISTAKE. MRS. VON DAMM SAID REAGAN IS A MAN OF HIGHEST CHARACTER AND REPUTATION AND HE IS VERY LOYAL TO U. S. HIS ASSOCIATES ARE PERSONS OF EQUALLY GOOD CHARACTER. SHE RECOMMENDS HIM FOR POSITION IN QUESTION.

④ JAMES A. HAYES, LOS ANGELES COUNTY SUPERVISOR AND CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY SUPERVISORS, 822 HALL OF

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ADMINISTRATION, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN SINCE 1964. HE SAID THEY BECAME ASSOCIATED WHEN HAYES SERVED AS MEMBER OF CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE AND HE ACCOMPANIED REAGAN WHEN HE WAS A FREQUENT SPEAKER AT LOCAL FUNCTIONS. HE SAID REAGAN IS A FORCEFUL INDIVIDUAL AND THE KIND OF PERSON WHO WILL BE THE TYPE ESSENTIALLY NEEDED AS A MEMBER OF COMMISSION IN QUESTION. HE SAID REAGAN IS HIGHLY INTELLIGENT, HAS A PROBING MIND AND KNOWS HOW TO REACH LOGICAL CONCLUSIONS WITHOUT DELAY. HE FEELS REAGAN IS A HIGHLY COMPETENT ADMINISTRATOR AND A MAN WHO RECOGNIZES RESPONSIBILITY OF RENDERING FINEST SERVICE HE CAN IN ANY TASK INVOLVING INTEREST OF U. S. HAYES SAID REAGAN'S CHARACTER AND LOYALTY ARE EXCELLENT. HE KNOWS NOTHING OF A DEROGATORY NATURE CONCERNING ANY OF REAGAN'S ASSOCIATES AND HE SAID HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR POSITION IN QUESTION.

FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ALSO COMMENTED IN A SIMILAR MANNER CONCERNING REAGAN:

⑤ DENNIS LE BLANC, 10960 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, SUITE 812, LOS ANGELES, A CURRENT MEMBER OF REAGAN'S PROTECTIVE SERVICE UNIT, KNOWN 2½ YEARS; MR. CHANCEY J. MEDBERRY, CHAIRMAN OF

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BOARD OF BANK OF AMERICA, 650 SOUTH SPRING STREET, LOS ANGELES,

KNOWN 8 YEARS; JUSTIN DART, PRESIDENT OF DART INDUSTRIES,

8480 BEVERLY BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, KNOWN 25 YEARS; AND

② EARL JORGENSEN, PRESIDENT OF JORGENSEN STEEL COMPANY,

10650 SOUTH ALAMEDA STREET, LOS ANGELES, KNOWN 40 YEARS.

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RONALD REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY. BUDED: COB JANUARY 8, 1975.

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THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED BY THE SAN DIEGO DIVISION ON JANUARY 7 AND 8, 1975:

ASSOCIATES.

① GORDON LUCE, PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE, SAN DIEGO FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, 600 "B" STREET, SAN DIEGO, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH APPOINTEE DURING PAST NINE YEARS IN WORKING ON VARIOUS COMMITTEES BY APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNOR REAGAN AND ALSO THROUGH SERVING AS SAN DIEGO COUNTY CHAIRMAN AND CALIFORNIA STATE CHAIRMAN OF REPUBLICAN PARTY. LUCE FAVORABLY RECOMMENDED APPOINTEE TO ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY BASED ON IMPECCABLE PERSONAL HABITS,

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TREMENDOUS ABILITY AND GREAT DESIRE TO SERVE THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE.

② JAMES SCHMIDT, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND MANAGING OFFICER, SAN DIEGO FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, ADVISED HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH APPOINTEE IN 1966 AND SINCE THAT TIME HAS WORKED ON VARIOUS CALIFORNIA STATE BOARDS BY APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNOR REAGAN. SCHMIDT STATED HE HAS VISITED THE RESIDENCE AND OFFICE OF APPOINTEE ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS AND CONSIDERS APPOINTEE AND ALL MEMBERS OF HIS FAMILY TO BE PEOPLE OF HIGH STANDARDS, MODERATE AND PERSONAL HABITS. SCHMIDT SAID APPOINTEE ALWAYS PUTS HIS COUNTRY FIRST. APPOINTEE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

③ BERT RAYNES, CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, ROHR INDUSTRIES, CHULA VISTA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE FOR PAST EIGHT YEARS THROUGH PARTICIPATION AND ACTIVITIES OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY AND INVOLVEMENT IN BUSINESS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. RAYNES SAID

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APPOINTEE ALWAYS EXEMPLARY IN EVERY RESPECT, DEDICATED TO SERVING HIS COUNTRY AND OTHERS WITH GREAT COMPETENCY. APPOINTEE HAS CLOSE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH FAMILY, PRACTICES HIGH MORAL STANDARDS AND USES INTOXICANTS ONLY ON VERY LIMITED SOCIAL BASIS. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

(-5) ROBERT H. ADAMS AND WIFE, ELIZABETH ADAMS, 32430 COLE GRADE ROAD, VALLEY CENTER, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THEY ARE PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH APPOINTEE AND FAMILY FOR PERIOD OF FIFTEEN YEARS. APPOINTEE DESCRIBED AS OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF HIS COMMUNITY AND GREAT ASSET TO ANY GOVERNMENTAL AGENCY DUE TO INTEREST IN GOVERNMENT AND ABILITY TO SERVE. APPOINTEE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, BEING OF HIGH CHARACTER, MODERATE IN PERSONAL HABITS AND LOYAL UNITED STATES CITIZEN.

RELATIVES.

RESIDENCE OF APPOINTEE'S BROTHER, J. NEIL REAGAN, 3941 VIA VALLE VERDE, WHISPERING PALMS GREEN, RANCHO SANTA FE, CALIFORNIA, VERIFIED AND SATISFACTORY. HIGHLY

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RECOMMENDED BY NEIGHBORS. NO ARREST RECORD FOR NEIL
REAGAN LOCATED AT POLICE DEPARTMENTS AT SAN DIEGO, CARLSBAD,
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RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ET AL, JANUARY 6, 1975.

B.J. "BARNEY" LEONARD, PARADISE, VALLEY, ARIZONA, HAS
KNOWN APPOINTEE FOR 12 YEARS AND IS WELL ACQUAINTED WITH APPOIN-
TEE'S FATHER-IN-LAW AND MOTHER-IN-LAW, WHO RESIDE BILTMORE
ESTATES, PHOENIX, ARIZONA. HE STATED APPOINTEE IS A THOROUGHLY
HONEST AND DEPENDABLE INDIVIDUAL WITH VERY HIGH PRINCIPLES AND
AN INDIVIDUAL HE CONSIDERS A COMPLETELY LOYAL AMERICAN CITIZEN.
LEONARD WOULD RECOMMEND APPOINTEE FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST
WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT AND FEELS HE WOULD BE FAIR AND IMPARTIAL
IN ANY DEALINGS AS AN OFFICIAL OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

STATED APPOINTEE'S IN-LAWS HAVE RESIDED PHOENIX MANY
YEARS AND HAVE EXCELLENT REPUTATION IN COMMUNITY, HAVE BEEN
ACTIVE IN CIVIC AFFAIRS AND ARE COMPLETELY LOYAL AMERICAN
CITIZENS.

NO ARREST RECORD LOCATED FOR FATHER-IN-LAW, DR. LOYAL
DAVIS, OR MOTHER-IN-LAW, EDITH DAVIS, WITH MARICOPA COUNTY
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT OR PHOENIX, ARIZONA POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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FROM SACRAMENTO (161-455)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE, DATED JANUARY 6, 1975.

ON JANUARY 7, 1975, THE OATH OF OFFICE BOOK, WHICH IS THE RECORD OF TENURE OF CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND WHICH IS MAINTAINED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, WAS EXAMINED. THE GOVERNOR'S PAGE SHOWS THAT RONALD REAGAN WAS COMMISSIONED DECEMBER 15, 1966, AND TOOK OATH OF OFFICE DECEMBER 27, 1966, FOR A TERM WHICH EXPIRED JANUARY 4, 1971. REAGAN WAS AGAIN COMMISSIONED DECEMBER 8, 1970, AND TOOK OATH OF OFFICE JANUARY 4, 1971, FOR A TERM WHICH EXPIRED JANUARY 6, 1975.

ON JANUARY 6, 1975, EDWARD V. HICKEY, JR., 4804 ROCKLAND WAY, FAIR OAKS, CALIFORNIA, STATED THAT HE WAS DIRECTOR OF SECURITY FOR GOVERNOR REAGAN FROM 1968 TO THE END OF HIS LAST TERM. AS SUCH, HE WAS IN ALMOST CONSTANT CONTACT WITH HIM AND ACCOMPANIED HIM IN TRAVEL TO ALL OF THE STATES AND 25 FOREIGN COUNTRIES. HE

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SAID THAT IN ALL OF THIS ASSOCIATION WITH REAGAN HE HAD NEVER SEEN OR HEARD OF ANYTHING WHICH MIGHT TEND TO DISCREDIT REAGAN'S CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID REAGAN IS WELL READ, BRIGHT, PERCEPTIVE, AND A TRULY DISCIPLINED PERSON WHO STUDIES INTENTLY AND IS KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT GOVERNMENT AND WORLD AFFAIRS. HE STATED REAGAN CONSTANTLY LEARNS AND IMPROVES HIS ABILITIES AND GIVES VERY LITTLE TIME TO HIS OWN PLEASURES. HE STATED HE COULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR ANY POSITION OF GREAT TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

② ON JANUARY 7, 1975, GUY R. OATES, CHIEF, CALIFORNIA STATE POLICE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, STATED THAT HE HAS NO INFORMATION WHICH MIGHT SUGGEST ANY QUESTION AS TO THE GOOD CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES OF RONALD REAGAN. HE STATED THAT HE CONSIDERS REAGAN TO BE A HIGHLY INTELLIGENT AND CAPABLE PERSON WHOM HE WOULD READILY RECOMMEND FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

③ ON JANUARY 6, 1975, CLARENCE E. NEWTON, JR., SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE WAS ASSOCIATED WITH RONALD REAGAN AS HIS

SPECIAL ASSISTANT FOR TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS. HE STATED THAT HE CONSIDERS REAGAN TO BE A MAN OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID REAGAN IS AN OUTSTANDING MAN IN ALL RESPECTS AND HAS THE JUDGMENT, INTELLIGENCE AND ALL AROUND ABILITY TO FILL THE HIGHEST PUBLIC OFFICE. HE RECOMMENDED HIM.

④ WILLIE BROWN, ASSEMBLYMAN, ROOM 3126, STATE CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, ADVISED JANUARY 7, 1975, HE HAS DIFFERED WITH RONALD REAGAN OVER POLITICAL ISSUES. HOWEVER, HE SAID HE HAS FOUND REAGAN TO BE HONEST AND LOYAL TO WHATEVER CAUSE HE IS PURSUING. HE CHARACTERIZED REAGAN AS A CAPABLE AND WILLING WORKER. HE SAID REAGAN'S BACKGROUND IS UNQUESTIONABLE AND THAT HE KNEW OF NOTHING WHICH MIGHT CAUSE QUESTION OF HIS CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

ASSEMBLYMAN BROWN SAID THAT HE HAS FOUND REAGAN TO BE TOTALLY RESPONSIBLE AND OBJECTIVE AND THAT HE WOULD TAKE ANY ASSIGNMENT AND PERFORM TO HIS MAXIMUM. HE STATED HE WOULD RECOMMEND REAGAN TO ANY APPOINTMENT OR COMMITTEE AND FELT CONFIDENT HE

WOULD FULFILL ALL OF HIS DUTIES.

⑤ ON JANUARY 7, 1975, MERVYN M. DYMALLY, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (NEWLY ELECTED), STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT, WHILE HE DISAGREED WITH EX-GOVERNOR REAGAN PHILOSOPHICALLY ON MINORITY PROBLEMS, HE WOULD CONSIDER REAGAN'S APPOINTMENT AS A VERY GOOD BALANCE OF INTEGRITY AND INTERRELATIONSHIPS. HE SAID HE WOULD HAVE ONLY FAVORABLE COMMENT CONCERNING REAGAN'S CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

DYMALLY SAID HE HAS NEVER FOUND REAGAN TO BE UNTRUTHFUL IN ANY SITUATION. HE SAID THAT REAGAN HAS UPGRADED THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. HE FELT THAT REAGAN HAD THE ABILITY TO HANDLE AN IMPORTANT POSITION. HE RECOMMENDED HIM.

⑥ ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ANTHONY KENNEDY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, 455 CAPITOL MALL, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN SINCE THE SPRING OF 1973. HE WORKED WITH MR. REAGAN DRAFTING PROPOSITION ONE, A TEAX REFORM MEASURE FOR THE BALLOT. DURING THAT TIME HE LEARNED MR. REAGAN IS A MAN WITH A BRILLIANTLY

ORGANIZED MIND WHO HAS THE ABILITY TO ABSORB A GREAT AMOUNT OF FACTS AND VERBALIZE THEM. HE HAS AN EXTREMELY ACUTE MIND. MR. REAGAN IS AN EXCELLENT JUDGE OF CHARACTER, AND HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND HIM AS TO HIS CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY, TO THE UNITED STATES AND STATED REAGAN HAS THE ABILITY TO HANDLE ANY PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT.

⑤ ON JANUARY 7, 1975, JOHN DIEPENBROCK, ATTORNEY, 455 CAPITOL MALL, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN MR. RONALD REGAN FOR SIX YEARS AND CONSIDERS MR. REAGAN EXTREMELY CAPABLE AND RELIABLE. HE WOULD RECOMMEND MR. REAGAN FOR ANY PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT WITHOUT RESERVATION. MR. REAGAN'S CHARACTER AND REPUTATION IS ABOVE REPROACH AND HE IS A LOYAL AMERICAN.

⑧ ON JANUARY 7, 1975, JOHN HAY, PRESIDENT, CALIFORNIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 455 CAPITOL MALL, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN MR. RONALD REAGAN SINCE AUGUST, 1967. HE STATED THAT MR. REAGAN IS A TOTALLY FAIR MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER AND HABITS AND RELIABLE IN ALL THINGS. HE KNOWS MR. REAGAN TO A LOYAL AMERICAN. MR. REAGAN'S CREDIBILITY IS EXCELLENT AND HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND HIM FOR

ANY GOVERNMENTAL POSITION.

(7) HENRY H. STEINMETZ, JR., VICE PRESIDENT AND MANAGER, BANK OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, WAS CONTACTED JANUARY 7, 1975, AND ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR THE PAST EIGHT YEARS. STEINMETZ CHARACTERIZED REAGAN AS HAVING UNQUESTIONABLE CHARACTER, INTEGRITY AND REPUTATION, AND STATED THAT HE WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

(10) UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE PHILLIP C. WILKINS, EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ON JANUARY 7, 1975, DISCLOSED THAT HE HAS KNOWN FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS, ALTHOUGH DURING THAT PERIOD OF TIME HIS ASSOCIATION WITH REAGAN HAS BEEN LIMITED. JUDGE WILKINS STATED THAT HE IS OF THE OPINION THAT GOVERNOR REAGAN PROVED TO BE A MAN OF INTEGRITY WHILE IN OFFICE IN THAT I APPEARED TO HIM THAT REAGAN TRIED HARDER THAN ANY OF HIS PREDECESSORS TO FULFILL HIS POLITICAL PROMISES. BASED ON A LIMITED ASSOCIATION WITH REAGAN, WILKINS STATED THAT HE WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR ANY

POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

(11) SACRAMENTO COUNTY MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE ROTHWELL B. MASON, CONTACTED JANUARY 7, 1975, DISCLOSED THAT HE HAS PERSONALLY KNOWN FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO AND ONE HALF YEARS. HE STATED THAT ALTHOUGH HIS SOCIAL CONTACT WITH REAGAN HAS BEEN LIMITED, HE KNOWS HIM TO BE OF EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND ONE WHO HAS MAINTAINED OUTSTANDING PERSONAL HABITS. HE FURTHER DESCRIBED HIM AS BEING OF UNQUESTIONABLE CHARACTER AND INTEGRITY AND WITHOUT QUESTION WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR ANY POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY.

(12) EDWARD M. WRIGHT, 1441 - 44TH STREET, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, WAS INTERVIEWED JANUARY 7, 1975, AND PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. HE HAS BEEN PERSONAL FRIEND OF FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS AND HAS SEEN HIM FREQUENTLY ON A SOCIAL BASIS. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR AN POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY. WRIGHT FURTHER ADVISED HE KNOWS OF NO UNFAVORABLE INFORMATION REGARDING REAGAN'S CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

13 FRANK J. WALTON, FORMER CALIFORNIA STATE SECRETARY OF BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION, HOME ADDRESS 1324 NORMANDY LANE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN ON A PROFESSIONAL BASIS FOR APPROXIMATELY THREE AND ONE HALF YEARS SINCE HIS APPOINTMENT BY REAGAN TO THE ABOVE NAMED POSITION. HE ADVISED HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR ANY POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY AND CONSIDERS HIM TO BE TRUSTWORTHY, ABLE, AND HONEST INDIVIDUAL. WALTON STATED HE KNEW OF NO UNFAVORABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

14 FORMER CALIFORNIA STATE SENATOR HUGH M. BURNS, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA ADVISED JANUARY 7, 1975, HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS ON A PROFESSIONAL BASIS. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR ANY POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY, STATING IN HIS OPINION, REAGAN IS ABLE, HONEST, AND FORTHRIGHT. HE FURTHER STATED HE KNEW NOTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE CONCERNING MR. REAGAN.

15 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, RICHARD RODDA, POLITICAL EDITOR, "THE

SACRAMENTO BEE" NEWSPAPER, ADVISED THAT HE WOULD NOT APPOINT RONALD REAGAN TO A POSITION IN GOVERNMENT BECAUSE THEY DISAGREE POLITICALLY. HOWEVER, HE STATED HE WOULD RECOMMEND REAGAN AS AN ABLE PERSON WHOSE INTEREST IS FOR THE GOOD OF THE COUNTRY AND ABOUT WHOSE CHARACTER, INTEGRITY, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES HE WOULD HAVE NO QUESTION.

16 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, EARL BEHRENS, FORMER POLITICAL EDITOR AND CURRENTLY POLITICAL CONSULTANT TO "THE SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE" NEWSPAPER, STATED HE KNOWS RONALD REAGAN TO BE A MAN WHOSE INTEGRITY SHOULD BE STRESSED AND ABOUT WHOSE CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES THERE SHOULD BE NO QUESTION. HE SAID REAGAN IS HIGHLY INTELLIGENT AND A QUICK LEARNER. HE STATED HE WOULD MAKE THE HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION OF REAGAN FOR ANY POSITION IN GOVERNMENT.

17 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ASSEMBLYMAN VINCENT THOMAS, ROOM 4116, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, DESCRIBED RONALD REAGAN AS A MAN OF HIS WORD, WHO WAS VERY STRAIGHT FORWARD AND AN OUTSTANDING GOVERNOR. HE STATED HE HAS SERVED IN THE LEGISLATURE UNDER SIX GOVERNORS

AND MR. REAGAN IS AT THE TOP OF THIS LIST. HE STATED HE WOULD RECOMMEND MR. REAGAN FOR ANY HIGH POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

(18) ON JANUARY 7, 1975, SENATOR RANDOLPH COLLIER, ROOM 5065, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE IS A DEMOCRAT AND HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN FOR EIGHT YEARS DURING WHICH TIME MR. REAGAN WAS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE STATED HE CONSIDERED MR. REAGAN AT THE TOP OF THE LIST OF GOVERNORS UNDER WHICH HE HAS SERVED. HE STATED MR. REAGAN IS A GREAT ADMINISTRATOR, DOES HIS OWN THINKING, AND THEN DOES SOMETHING ABOUT IT. HE STATED THERE IS NO QUESTION AS TO REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES AND NOTHING "WISHY WASHY" ABOUT MR. REAGAN, AND HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

(19) ON JANUARY 7, 1975, A. ALAN POST, LEGISLATIVE ANALYST, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN PROFESSIONALLY FOR EIGHT YEARS, BUT KNOWS NOTHING OF HIS PERSONAL LIFE. HE SAID HE KNOWS OF NOTHING WHICH WOULD CAUSE QUESTION OF

REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, ASSOCIATES, OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

POST SAID HE CONSIDERS REAGAN TO BE A PERSONABLE MAN WHO IS EXTRAORDINARILY CAPABLE AND WHO CAN SIZE UP SITUATIONS IN AN ORDERLY WAY AND MAKE DECISIONS EFFECTIVELY AND QUICKLY. HOWEVER, HE STATED HE WOULD HESITATE TO RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR A GOVERNMENT POSITION BECAUSE HE IS NOT CONFIDENT REAGAN WOULD BE WILLING TO ADMIT ANY DEFICIENCIES WHICH HE MIGHT DISCOVER IF IT PROVED TO BE POLITICALLY EMBARRASSING.

POST SAID HE AGREED WITH MUCH OF WHAT REAGAN TRIED TO DO AS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HOWEVER, HE HAS CONCLUDED OVER THE YEARS THE APPOINTEE DEMONSTRATED WHAT POST THOUGHT TO BE A LACK OF INTELLECTURAL HONESTY BECAUSE HE WAS SO INTENT TO ACHIEVE HIS DESIRED OBJECTIVES HE TRIED TO GET BY WITHOUT ADHERING TO THE LAW AND RULES AS THEY AFFECTED THE DRAFTING OF LEGISLATION. CONSEQUENTLY POST SAID HE HAD MANY DIFFERENCES WITH THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE DURING REAGAN'S TENURE.

POST GAVE THE EXAMPLE OF A PROPOSITION PLACED ON THE BALLOT

IN 1974. THE RESPONSIBILITY OF POST'S OFFICE WAS TO ANALYZE THE PROPOSED LEGISLATION AND INFORM THE VOTERS AS TO ANTICIPATED COST. HE ESTIMATED THE COST OF THE MEASURE TO BE ABOUT FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, AND INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNTY. BUT REAGAN WANTED IT TO APPEAR TO BE COST FREE. POST HAD FACTS SHOWING THIS WAS NOT THE CASE AND WOULD NOT AGREE TO THE PUBLIC STATEMENT DESIRED BY REAGAN. THERE AS A "DONNYBROOK". POST PREVAILED. THE MATTER COULD HAVE BEEN HANDLED MORE EASILY BY THE GOVERNOR IF HE WOULD HAVE BEEN FORTHRIGHT AND ADMITTED THE SMALL ERROR IN THE ORIGINAL DRAFT. POST SAID THERE WERE NUMEROUS SIMILAR CASES.

POST WAS DISAPPOINTED WITH REAGAN BECAUSE HE APPEARED MORE INTERESTED IN POLITICAL POSTURE THAN FACING THE FACTS, AND WHEN THE LAW WOULD NOT PERMIT A DESIRED STEP, ^{rather than} EITHER ADJUST TO CONFORM WITH THE LAW OR SEEK NECESSARY CHANGE IN THE LAW TO PERMIT HIM TO PROCEED. ~~ON THE CONTRARY HE SAID~~ REAGAN BELABORED POST'S OFFICE AND ACCUSED POST OF DISHONESTY.

POST CONCLUDED THERE HAS BEEN TOO MUCH WILLINGNESS OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO LOOK THE OTHER WAY WHEN HE SHOULD BE

CONCERNING WITH OPEN AND HONEST GOVERNMENT. HE IS CONCERNED THAT REAGAN MIGHT BE ANOTHER OF THOSE WHO WOULD BYPASS THE LAW TO MAINTAIN THE BEST PUBLIC IMAGE.

20 JESSE UNRUH, STATE TREASURER (NEWLY ELECTED), STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ROOM 119, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED ON JANUARY 7, 1975, THAT RONALD REAGAN'S LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY ARE ABOVE REPROACH. HE SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT AS TO REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, OR ASSOCIATES, BECAUSE REAGAN KEPT HIS PERSONAL LIFE OUT OF THE LIMELIGHT.

UNRUH SAID THAT HE WOULD NOT APPOINT REAGAN TO ANY COMMITTEE OR GOVERNMENT POSITION BECAUSE HE DID NOT BELIEVE THAT REAGAN HAD ANY COMPASSION AT ALL TOWARD PEOPLE AND BECAUSE OF THE MILITARISTIC ATTITUDE HE MAINTAINED WITH HIS OWN STAFF AND PEOPLE.

21 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, SPEAKER OF THE ASSEMBLY LEO T. MC CARTHY, *Dem* ROOM 3161, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, STATED HE HAS KNOWN MR. REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS AND HE CONSIDERED HIM A VERY HONEST INDIVIDUAL OF GOOD HABITS,

ASSOCIATES AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES AND WHO IS DEDICATED TO HIS COUNTRY'S BEST INTERESTS. HE STATED MR. REAGAN WAS DEVOTED TO HIS DUTIES AS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA AND HE PERSONALLY KNEW OF NO CHARACTER FLAWS REGARDING MR. REAGAN. MR. MC CARTHY WOULD NEITHER RECOMMEND OR NOT RECOMMEND MR. REAGAN FOR A GOVERNMENT POSITION.

22 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, JAMES R. MILLS, SPEAKER OF THE SENATE, D_{SM}, ROOM 5100, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN FOR EIGHT YEARS AND CONSIDERS MR. REAGAN A MAN OF VERY STRONG OPINION WHO TRIED TO ARRIVE AT DECISIONS PRIOR TO RECEIVING OPINIONS OF OTHERS. HE STATED MR. REAGAN IS A VERY INTELLIGENT AND ABLE INDIVIDUAL, AND THAT HE HAS NO QUESTION OF REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, ASSOCIATES OR LOYALTY TO THE U. S. WHEN ASKED IF HE WOULD RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR A GOVERNMENTAL POSITION, ADVISED THAT HE WOULD ONLY STATE HIS RELATIONSHIP WITH MR. REAGAN WAS NOT VERY GOOD. HE SUMMARIZED HIS OPINION OF MR.

REAGAN BY SAYING, "IT'S DIFFICULT FOR HIM TO BE OBJECTIVE ON MAY ISSUES."

23 EDMUND G. BROWN, JR., GOVERNOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE HAD BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN IN THE STATE GOVERNMENT FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS. HE SAID HE CONSIDERED REAGAN TO HAVE BEEN A GOOD GOVERNOR, HOWEVER, HE PERSONALLY FEELS REAGAN GREATLY OVER EMPHASIZED PERSONAL SECURITY FOR HIMSELF TO THE POINT OF GREATLY EXPANDED SECURITY DEPARTMENT. HE POINTED OUT FURTHER HE FELT REAGAN WAS OVERLY SOLICITIOUS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD AND THE STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, TO THE POINT WHERE THE NATIONAL GUARD, THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, AND THE STATE POLICE BUDGETS WERE NOT SUBJECT TO FISCAL REVIEW BY THE STATE AUDITORS OFFICE, BUT THE BUDGETS WENT DIRECTLY TO REAGAN, WHO APPROVED THEM. HE FURTHER STATED REAGAN DISPLAYED, IN HIS ESTIMATION, A GREAT DISTRUST FOR THE PROFESSIONAL CAREER CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEE

AND HAS EXPRESSED TO HIM THAT HE, REAGAN, FELT THE CALIFORNIA STATE EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION AND ITS OFFICIALS WERE NOT ENTIRELY TRUTHFUL.

GOVERNOR BROWN SAID HE FELT PERSONALLY THAT REAGAN WAS OUT OF TOUCH WITH THE "COMMON MAN", RESTRICTING HIS OWN ASSOCIATES TO A VERY WEALTHY CIRCLE OF CLOSE FRIENDS. HE HAD KNOWLEDGE OF NOTHING TO CAUSE QUESTION AS TO REAGAN'S CHARACTER, HABITS, ASSOCIATES OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

GOVERNOR BROWN STATED HE ASSUMES THIS INVESTIGATION IS CONCERNING REAGAN'S RECENTLY ANNOUNCED APPOINTMENT TO THE COMMISSION TO REVIEW THE CIA, AND HE FELT PERSONALLY THAT REAGAN'S APPARENT OVER-EMPHASIS ON SECURITY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT MATTERS WOULD RAISE A QUESTION OF POSSIBLE BIAS IN FAVOR OF THE CIA. HE SAID HE WOULD NOT PERSONALLY MAKE ANY COMMENT CONCERNING A RECOMMENDATION, BUT FELT THAT THESE POINTS SHOULD BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE APPOINTING AUTHORITIES FOR CONSIDERATION.

(25) SERGEANT DALE ROWLEE, CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL, SACRAMENTO, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN SINCE DECEMBER, 1966 AS REAGAN'S PERSONAL DRIVER, WHICH ASSIGNMENT CARRIED THE ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF BEING THE PERSONAL BODY GUARD FOR THE GOVERNOR. HE WAS PROBABLY AS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH REAGAN AS ANYONE IN THE ADMINISTRATION. HE SAID DURING THAT TIME, HE FOUND GOVERNOR REAGAN TO BE AS FINE A MAN AS HE HAS EVER MET. HE WAS ABSOULTELY HONEST IN EVERY WAY, AND THERE WAS NEVER A POSSIBILITY OF ANY IMMORAL ACT ON REAGAN'S PART IN ANY WAY. EHE SAID HE HAS SEEN REAGAN GET QUITE ANGRY ON OCCATIONS, BUT HAS NEVER SEEN HIM EVER SPEAK OR ACT IN A DEMEANING MANNER TOWARD ANYONE. HE SAID CALIFORNIA HAS LOST A VERY GREAT ASSET TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT, AND BASED ON HIS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH REAGAN IN THE PAST EIGHT YEARS, HE WOULD RECOMMEND HIM TO ANY POSITION OR ASSIGNMENT FOR WHICH HE MAY BE CONSIDERED.

(26) MR. CLYDE E. WALTHALL, PRESS SECRETARY FOR FORMER GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN, ADVISED HE HAS HAD THIS ASSIGNMENT SINCE MARCH, 1972. HE SAID PRIOR TO THAT TIME, HE WORKED FOR THE REPUBLICAN MINORITY LEADER IN THE CALIFORNIA STATE ASSEMBLY, AND IN THAT CAPACITY HAD SOME ASSOCIATION WITH REAGAN. HE SAID FIRST, THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO QUESTION OF REAGAN'S LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE IS A MAN OF GREAT PATRIOTISM, WHO HAS NEVER DONE ANYTHING OR SAID ANYTHING THAT WOULD REFLECT UNFAVORABLY ON HIS HIGH MORAL CHARACTER OR INTEGRITY. HE HAD A RULE THAT HIS STAFF MUST FOLLOW, THAT WENT, " OBEY ALL RULES OR GET OUT". THIS MEANT ANY LAWS AND ANY OF HIS PERSONAL HIGH MORAL STANDARDS, AND BECAUSE OF THIS AND THE FACT THAT REAGAN FOLLOWED THIS RULE STRICTLY, THERE WAS NO SCANDAL WITH ANY PART OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION AND ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS WHEN THERE WAS EVEN A HINT OF A CONFLICT OF INTEREST, HE ASKED

FOR AND RECEIVED THE RESIGNATION OF SEVERAL OF HIS STAFF MEMBERS. MR. WALTHALL ADVISED THAT WITHOUT ANY HESITATION, HE WOULD RECOMMEND RONALD REAGAN TO ANY POSITION WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

(27) ON JANUARY 7, 1975, HONORABLE HUGH EVANS, JUDGE, THIRD DISTRICT COURT OF APPEALS, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN PROFESSIONALLY FOR THE PAST EIGHT YEARS, AND ALTHOUGH HE HAS SOME REASON TO BE BIASED INASMUCH AS REAGAN APPOINTED HIM TO THE SACRAMENTO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT BENCH AND JUST RECENTLY TO THE THIRD DISTRICT COURT OF APPEALS, HE SAID THE GOVERNOR WAS A MAN OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY. HE SAID HE HAS NEVER HEARD ANY COMMENTS THAT WOULD DISTRACT FROM REAGAN'S MORAL CHARACTER OR HIS HONESTY IN ANY WAY. THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO QUESTION TO HIS LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE POINTED OUT IN CONNECTION WITH REAGAN'S JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS, HE HAS

APPOINTMENT BOTH DEMOCRAT AND REPUBLICAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STATE BAR ASSOCIATION. JUDGE EVANS ADVISED THAT BASED ON HIS KNOWLEDGE OF REAGAN, HE WOULD NOT HESITATE TO RECOMMEND HIM TO THE HIGHEST POSITION TO WHICH HE MAY ASPIRE.

ON JANUARY 7, 1975, A REVIEW WAS MADE OF NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS PERTAINING TO RONALD REAGAN, WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE LIBRARY IN THE SACRAMENTO BEE.

THE SACRAMENTO BEE IS ONE OF TWO SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA DAILY NEWSPAPERS, WHICH WAS ADOPTED A MORE LIBERAL POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY GENERALLY IN FAVOR OF DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES AND IN OPPOSITION TO THE PHILOSOPHY OF THE GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN ADMINISTRATION.

THE LIBRARY CONTAINED MANY ARTICLES ABOUT REAGAN AND HIS ADMINISTRATION, AND THE ONLY SPECIFIC ITEMS NOTED WHICH CAST AN UNFAVORABLE LIGHT ON REAGAN'S CHARACTER WERE ITEMS APPEARING

IN OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER 1967, CHARGING THAT REAGAN HAD CONCEALED INFORMATION AND TAKEN NO ACTION FOR SIX MONTHS CONCERNING SEVERAL ALLEGED HOMOSEXUALS ON HIS STAFF. THE SACRAMENTO BEE CHARGES WERE BASED ON ARTICLES APPEARING IN TIME AND NEWSWEEK MAGAZINES AND AN ARTICLE BY COLUMNIST DREW PEARSON AT THE SAME TIME.

28 ON JANUARY 7, 1975, ~~ARTHUR VAN COURT~~, UNITED STATES MARSHAL, EASTERN DISTRICT OF SACRAMENTO, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE WAS THE FORMER CHIEF OF SPECIAL SERVICES OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (RONALD REAGAN), DURING 1967 AND THAT IN ABOUT AUGUST, 1967, INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED CONCERNING POSSIBLE HOMOSEXUAL ACTIVITIES ON THE PART OF REAGAN STAFF MEMBERS. VAN COURT AND A FEW SELECTED OTHERS ON THE REAGAN STAFF CONDUCTED A VERY DISCREET INVESTIGATION FOR A PERIOD OF THREE OR FOUR WEEKS WITHOUT ADVISING REAGAN OF THEIR ACTIVITIES. ON A FRIDAY EVENING NEAR THE END OF AUGUST, 1967, VAN COURT

AND OTHERS ADVISED REAGAN OF THE ALLEGATIONS CONCERNING THESE STAFF MEMBERS AND THEIR FINDINGS TO DATE. REAGAN'S IMMEDIATE RESPONSE WAS, ALL RIGHT, THEY HAVE GOT TO GO". THE NEXT DAY, A SATURDAY, THE STAFF MEMBERS IN QUESTION WERE LOCKED OUT OF THEIR OFFICES AND THEIR RESIGNATIONS SOUGHT, OBTAINED, AND ACCEPTED. NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION WAS CONDUCTED AND NO DISCLOSURE WAS MADE OF THE INCIDENT BY REAGAN, AS HE STATED HE DID NOT WISH TO RUIN THESE PEOPLE'S FAMILIES AND CAREERS.

VAN COURT STATED HE PRACTICALLY LIVED WITH REAGAN. HE CAME TO KNOW HIM EXTREMELY WELL AND FOUND HIM TO BE PROBABLY THE MOST NEARLY PERFECT PERSON FOR WHOM HE HAS EVER WORKED, AND IN HIS OPINION, FOUND HIM TO BE EXTREMELY CAPABLE, HONEST, AND OF THE HIGHEST INTELLIGENCE AND MORAL CHARACTER. HE STATED THAT REAGAN CONSTANTLY STUDIED MATERIAL ON THE VARIOUS ISSUES WHICH WOULD REQUIRE DECISIONS ON HIS PART AND THAT

BASED ON HIS OBSERVATIONS, HE FELT THAT REAGAN WOULD BE CAPABLE OF HANDLING ANY JOB IN THE U. S. GOVERNMENT WHICH WAS OFFERED TO HIM.

(29) MARTIN SMITH, MANAGING EDITOR, "THE SACRAMENTO BEE" NEWSPAPER, ADVISED THAT HE HAD BEEN A REPORTER WITH THE "BEE" AND HAD COVERED AND TRAVELED WITH REAGAN FROM 1965 TO 1970. DURING THIS TIME HE CAME TO KNOW REAGAN VERY WELL AND FOUND HIM TO BE AMOST HONEST PERSON OF THE HIGHEST MORAL CHARACTER. HE OBSERVED THAT REAGAN WAS A VERY CAPABLE ADMINISTRATOR, AND WHILE HE DID NOT ALWAYS AGREE WITH REAGAN'S PHILOSOPHIES AND POLICIES, HE NOTED THAT REAGAN WAS WELL VERSED ON THE VARIOUS ISSUED OF THE DAY.

SMITH STATED THAT HE HIMSELF HAD PERHAPS MELLOWED SOMEWHAT AND HE FOUND HIMSELF AGREEING WITH REAGAN'S VIEW-POINTS MORE LATELY, AND HE FELT THAT REAGAN WOULD BE A MOST CAPABLE ADMINISTRATOR IN A HIGH GOVERNMENT POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

CHARLES K. (C.K.) MC CLATCHY, EDITOR AND VICE PRESIDENT, "THE SACRAMENTO BEE" NEWSPAPER, ADVISED THAT HIS PAPER HAD BEEN POLITICALLY OPPOSITE OF REAGAN'S POLICIES AND WAS CONTINUALLY AT ODDS WITH HIM AND HIS ADMINISTRATION. HOWEVER, DURING THE EIGHT YEARS OF THE REAGAN ADMINISTRATION, NO POSITIVE INFORMATION WAS EVER UNCOVERED CONCERNING REAGAN WHICH WOULD REFLECT ON HIS CHARACTER OR INTEGRITY. MC CLATCHY DESCRIBED REAGAN AS "MR. CLEAN", AND ADDED THAT IF REAGAN HAD EVER DONE ANYTHING WRONG, THE "BEE" WOULD HAVE FOUND OUT ABOUT IT AND WOULD HAVE MADE FRONT PAGE NEWS OF IT.

CREDIT RECORDS ARE SATISFACTORY AND NO ARREST RECORD WAS LOCATED AT SACRAMENTO FOR THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE, NANCY.

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN. SPECIAL INQUIRY.

RE SACRAMENTO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JANUARY 8, 1975.

① SENATOR ALBERT RODDA, STATE CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, CALI-
FORNIA, STATED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY
EIGHT YEARS AND CONSIDERS FORMER GOVERNOR REAGAN TO BE A VERY
INTELLIGENT AND CONSCIENTIOUS INDIVIDUAL. HE IS VERY COMPETENT
AS WELL AS VERY HIGH INTELLIGENCE. HE STATED HE MAY NOT AGREE
WITH MR. REAGAN ON CERTAIN ISSUES, BUT CANNOT FAULT HIM AND HE
IS VERY RECEPTIVE TO OUTSIDE OPINION AND WOULD RECOMMEND MR.
REAGAN FOR A HIGH GOVERNMENT POSITION.

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② SENATOR GEORGE R. MOSCONE, ^{DEM.} STATE CAPITOL BUILDING,
STATED HE HAS KNOWN GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT
YEARS. HE STATED HE IS VERY INTELLIGENT, POSSESSES IMPECCABLE
CHARACTER, AND IS A VERY ACTIVE PUBLIC OFFICIAL, BUT WOULD NOT

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GIVE A RECOMMENDATION REGARDING REAGAN.

② ^{Dem} ASSEMBLYMAN LEROY GREEN, STATE CAPITOL, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS, AND STATED HE CONSIDERED HIM A VERY HIGH PRINCIPAL INDIVIDUAL AND HIGHLY MOTIVATED. HE STATED HE WOULD TRUST MR. REAGAN TO DO WHAT HE SAYS HE WILL DO. HE STATED THEIR JUDGMENT DIFFERED ON SEVERAL ISSUES AND DID NOT DESIRE TO MAKE A RECOMMENDATION IN ANY WAY REGARDING MR. REAGAN.

④ ASSEMBLYMAN FRANK LANTERMAN, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, SACRAMENTO, VICE CHAIRMAN, MINORITY WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN MR. REAGAN FOR APPROXIMATELY EIGHT YEARS AND HAS THE HIGHEST ADMIRATION AND RESPECT FOR HIS PERSONAL INTEGRITY AND HONESTY. HE STATED HE WAS AN OUTSTANDING GOVERNOR AND IS AN OUTSTANDING MAN. HE ALSO STATED MR. REAGAN LIVED AN EXEMPLARY FAMILY LIFE AND HE WOULD GIVE HIS HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION REGARDING MR. REAGAN FOR ANY POSITION OF PUBLIC TRUST.

⑤ EDWIN MEESE, FORMER EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO RONALD REAGAN, ADVISED HE HAS WORKED FOR REAGAN FOR THE PAST EIGHT YEARS, AND ORIGINALLY WAS THE LEGAL AFFAIRS SECRETARY, AND FROM 1969 TO 1974, AS EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT. HE SAID HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN VERY CLOSELY ON BOTH A SOCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL BASIS, HAVING TRAVELED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES AND MANY COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD WITH HIM. HE SAID REAGAN IS A VERY RELIGIOUS MAN, WITH A DEEP SENSE OF PERSONAL REGARD FOR HIS COUNTRY AND GENUINELY FEELS HE IS A CITIZEN PERFORMING A SERVICE FOR HIS COUNTRY. MR. MEESE SAID THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO QUESTION OF HIS LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE IS A MAN WITH THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY AND HONESTY AND A MAN OF INTELLIGENCE AND A VERY CAPABLE ADMINISTRATOR. IN HIS ESTIMATION, HE IS THE BEST POSSIBLE CHOICE FOR A HIGH LEVEL ASSIGNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

⑥ MR. JACK VANDENBERG, OWNER OF VANDENBERG MOTORS, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN FOR THE PAST

EIGHT YEARS. HE SAID HE FIRST MET HIM AT THE HORSE SHOW AT THE CALIFORNIA STATE FAIRGROUNDS, AND SINCE THAT TIME, HE HAS BEEN WITH THE GOVERNOR BOTH SOCIALLY AND PROFESSIONALLY. HE STATED THERE IS NO QUESTION OF REAGAN'S DEEP LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES AND HE IS A MAN OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, A MAN OF EXCELLENT MORAL CHARACTER AND A MAN WHO IS VERY COMPASSIONATE TOWARDS THE NEEDS OF OTHER MEN. HE SAID REAGAN IS ALWAYS WILLING TO GIVE HIS TIME AND EFFORTS TO BENEFIT NEEDY CAUSES AND IS ALWAYS PERSONALLY GENEROUS WITH HIS CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES.

⑥ EDWIN BEACH, ACTING DIRECTOR OF FINANCE FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN A CAREER STATE EMPLOYEE FOR THE PAST 30 YEARS, AND HAS KNOWN RONALD REAGAN FOR THE PAST EIGHT YEARS. HE SAID HE CONSIDERED RONALD REAGAN AS A GOOD GOVERNOR, AND WOULD BE "VERY COMFORTABLE" WITH REAGAN AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, KNOWING REAGAN WOULD ACT IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN ANY WAY HE COULD. HE SAID REAGAN CAME INTO OFFICE WITH THE

PHILOSOPHY OF CURTAILING GOVERNMENT EXPENSE, AND DID SO. HE SAID HE ORGANIZED HIS ADMINISTRATION IN A ^{TURE} CABINET FORM OF GOVERNMENT WITH THE CABINET MEMBERS SIMILAR TO A ⁸ CORPORATE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. HE SAID THE GOVERNOR DID NOT WORK DIRECTLY WITH CAREER STATE EMPLOYEES, HOWEVER, THE VARIOUS CABINET MEMBERS DID RELY HEAVILY ON THE CAREER EMPLOYEES WITHIN THEIR STATE AGENCIES. MR. BEACH ADVISED HE FELT GOVERNOR REAGAN OVER-EMPHASIZED, OR AT LEAST THROUGH HIS STAFF, THE PERSONAL SECURITY OF THE GOVERNOR, HOWEVER, HE DID NOTE THAT DURING PART OF THE ADMINISTRATION THERE WAS SOCIAL TURMOIL, INCLUDING RIOTS AND HIJACKING OF AIRCRAFT WHICH WOULD GIVE CONCERN TO SECURITY MEASURES AFFECTING THE GOVERNOR.

HE STATED REAGAN WAS A VERY STRONG ADVOCATE OF LAW AND ORDER AND IN CONNECTION WITH THAT ATTITUDE, THE BUDGET OF THE NATIONAL GUARD, THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, AND THE STATE POLICE AGENCIES WERE NOT SUBJECT TO THE NORMAL FISCAL REVIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE PRIOR TO BEING APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR.

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MR. BEACH ADVISED THAT HE WAS ASSUMING THE INQUIRY CONCERNING REAGAN WAS DUE TO THE RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS APPOINTMENT TO THE COMMISSION TO REVIEW THE CIA, AND HE PERSONALLY FEELS THAT REAGAN WOULD DO A VERY GOOD JOB AS HE IS VERY INTELLIGENT, AND A MAN OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY AND BELIEVES STRONGLY IN HIS IDEALS AND PRINCIPALS. HE SAID HE FEELS HE WOULD NEVER TOLERATE ANY SITUATION THAT WOULD RESULT IN ABUSE OF EXECUTIVE PRIVILEGE OR POWER.

MR. BEACH ADVISED THAT ALTHOUGH HE FELT REAGAN WAS A GOOD GOVERNOR, HE DID NOT FEEL HE COULD COMMENT ONE WAY OR ANOTHER ON A RECOMMENDATION.

UACB, NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED.

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FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2715) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: CLOSE OF
BUSINESS JANUARY 8, 1975, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU JANUARY 6, 7 AND 8,

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EVELLE J. YOUNGER, ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
3580 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, ROOM 800, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE
HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH REAGAN FOR NEARLY 12 YEARS. HE
RELATED THAT ADDRESSING HIMSELF TO THE QUESTIONING OF
REAGAN'S INTEGRITY, CHARACTER, LOYALTY, REPUTATION AND
ASSOCIATES, HE CANNOT FIND ANY FAULT WITH REAGAN INsofar AS
THESE QUALITIES ARE CONCERNED. HE ADDED REAGAN IS A
COMPLETELY HONORABLE MAN, A STRONG PERSONALITY AND ONE WHO
NEVER WILL YIELD TO ANY PRESSURE OF A DEVIOUS NATURE. HE
STATED REAGAN IS AN EXCELLENT ADMINISTRATOR WHO HAS AN
INCISIVE MIND WHICH ENABLES HIM TO READILY ARRIVE AT ROOTS
OF COMPLICATED PROBLEMS. HE IS ABLE TO PERFORM AT HIGHEST
DEGREE OF EFFICIENCY WHEN HE IS CONFRONTED WITH IMPORTANT

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MATTERS. YOUNGER SAID REAGAN LEADS AN EXEMPLARY PRIVATE LIVE AND IS DEVOTED TO HIS FAMILY. HE IS A MAN OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY AND ONE WHOM HE WOULD FAVORABLY RECOMMEND FOR POSITION INVOLVING INTEREST OF U. S.

② MICHAEL K. DEEVER, 10960 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR PAST TEN YEARS. HE SAID HE WAS DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION FOR REAGAN FOR THE EIGHT YEARS HE WAS GOVERNOR OF STATE OF CALIFORNIA. DEEVER ADDED THAT DURING REAGAN'S TENURE AS GOVERNOR HE SERVED ON FOUR PRESIDENTIAL MISSIONS WHICH ENTAILED VISITS TO APPROXIMATELY 25 FOREIGN COUNTRIES. HE RELATED REAGAN IS A MAN OF HIGH INTEGRITY AND ONE WHO HAS MUCH STRENGTH OF CHARACTER. HE SAID REAGAN IS INTELLIGENT AND A VERY GIFTED ADMINISTRATOR. HE ADDED HE KNOWS NOTHING OF AN ADVERSE NATURE CONCERNING THE PERSONAL BEHAVIOR OR CONDUCT OF REAGAN WHO HE SAID IS A MAN OF SOLID REPUTATION, GOOD CHARACTER, AND VERY LOYAL TO U. S. DEEVER SAID REAGAN WOULD ASSOCIATE WITH NO INDIVIDUAL WHO SUBSCRIBED TO ANY STANDARD OF ^{ETHICS} MORALS LESS THAN HIS OWN. HE SAID HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS SENSITIVE POSITION INVOLVING INTEREST OF THE GOVERNMENT.

③ Mr. A. C. LYLES, PRODUCER, PARAMOUNT STUDIOS, 5451 MARATHON AVENUE, HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA, RELATED HE HAS KNOWN

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REAGAN FOR PAST 35 YEARS. MOST OF THIS TIME THEY HAVE BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED. HE SAID REAGAN IS HIS "OWN MAN", MEANING HE IS INDEPENDENT MINDED. HE SAID REAGAN IS A GOOD LISTENER IN THAT HE GIVES WEIGHTY CONSIDERATION TO VIEWS OF OTHERS. LYLES SAID REAGAN ALWAYS HAS BEEN DESTINED TO BE A HIGH PUBLIC OFFICIAL; HOWEVER, IN HIS EARLY YEARS HE GOT SIDETRACKED AND BECAME AN ACTOR. LYLES KNOWS NO ONE WHO IS MORE DEDICATED THAN REAGAN TO THIS COUNTRY. HE SAID REAGAN IS A HARD WORKING MAN OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY. HIS CHARACTER AND REPUTATION ARE ABOVE REPROACH AND HE IS A LOYAL AMERICAN. HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT REAGAN ASSOCIATES WITH ONLY THOSE PERSONS OF EQUALLY HIGH CHARACTER. LYLES RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING INTEREST OF U. S.

④ DANIEL PENNINGTON BRYANT, 1425 PASQUALITO DRIVE, SAN MARINO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE IS HONORARY CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF BEKINS COMPANY, 1335 SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET, LOS ANGELES. HE SAID FOR THE EIGHT OR NINE YEARS HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN, NOTHING EVER HAS COME TO HIS ATTENTION WHICH WOULD CAUSE HIM TO QUESTION THE CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION OR LOYALTY OF REAGAN. IT IS HIS VIEW REAGAN IS A MAN OF TEMPERATE HABITS AND WHO IS DEVOTED TO HIS FAMILY. NOTHING BY WAY OF ANY SHORTCOMINGS ON PART OF REAGAN HAS EVER BEEN

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OBSERVED BY BRYANT WHICH MIGHT STAND IN WAY OF HIS COPING SUCCESSFULLY WITH TASKS CONFRONTING HIM AS MEMBER OF COMMISSION IN QUESTION. BRYANT SAID REAGAN WILL ADHERE TO HIS OWN PARTICULAR HIGH PRINCIPLES IN MAKING DECISIONS. HE SAID REAGAN IS AN EXCELLENT MANAGER AND KNOWS IMPORTANCE OF NEED OF BEING OBJECTIVE IN ARRIVING AT IMPORTANT JUDGMENTS. BRYANT SAID HE RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING INTEREST OF U. S.

FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ALSO COMMENTED IN SIMILAR VEIN REGARDING REAGAN:

⑤ JAMES CAGNEY, MOTION PICTURE PERFORMER, 2069 GOLD WATER CANYON, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA, KNOWN 25 YEARS;

⑥ STANTON HALE, CHAIRMAN OF BOARD, PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, 523 WEST SIXTH STREET, LOS ANGELES,

⑦ KNOWN SIX YEARS; THOMAS E. LEAVEY, CHAIRMAN OF BOARD, FARMERS INSURANCE GROUP, 4680 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS

⑧ ANGELES, KNOWN EIGHT YEARS; HENRY SALVATORI, CHAIRMAN OF BOARD, AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, GRANT OIL TOOL COMPANY, 1901 AVENUE OF THE STARS, CENTURY CITY, LOS ANGELES,

⑨ KNOWN 15 YEARS; CARL GREENBERG, 6001 CANTERBURY, APARTMENT 311, CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, RETIRED POLITICAL WRITER FOR

⑩ "LOS ANGELES TIMES," KNOWN NINE YEARS; AND JOHN ROBERT FLUOR, CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF FLUOR CORPORATION, 2500 SOUTH ATLANTIC AVENUE, CITY OF COMMERCE, CALIFORNIA, KNOWN NINE YEARS.

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(17) REVEREND DONN MOOMAW, SENIOR PASTOR OF BEL AIR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 16221 MULHOLLAND DRIVE, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR TEN YEARS. HE SAID REAGAN WORSHIPS AT HIS CHURCH WHEN HE IS OCCUPYING HIS HOME AT PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA. REVEREND MOOMAW SAID HE WAS VERY PLEASED TO READ ABOUT APPOINTMENT OF REAGAN TO COMMISSION IN QUESTION. HE SAID HE FEELS HE WILL PERFORM IN AN ADMIRABLE FASHION, BE THOROUGH AND AS OBJECTIVE AS HE CAN BE. REVEREND MOOMAW SAID REAGAN IS A MAN OF VERY HIGH INTEGRITY, A GOOD FATHER, FAITHFUL HUSBAND AND A VERY LOYAL AMERICAN AND CHRISTIAN GENTLEMAN. REVEREND MOOMAW SAID REAGAN IS OF GOOD CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION AND LOYALTY AND HE ~~RECOMMENDS~~ HIM FOR THIS POSITION.

(12) MONSIGNOR BENJAMIN HAWKES, VICAR GENERAL OF ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF LOS ANGELES, 1531 WEST NINTH STREET, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR MORE THAN FIVE YEARS. HE DESCRIBED REAGAN AS BEING A GREAT CITIZEN WHO DID GREAT JOB AS GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA. HE FURTHER STATED HE SERVED STATE WITH GREAT DISTINCTION AND IS A CREDIT TO HIS COUNTRY. HE WENT ON TO SAY REAGAN IS AN HONEST, HARD WORKING MAN OF GREAT INTEGRITY. HE SAID HE KNOWS

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NOTHING OF ADVERSE NATURE CONCERNING REAGAN'S PERSONAL CONDUCT OR BEHAVIOR AND HE FEELS SURE HE IS A MAN OF HIGH MORAL STANDARDS. HE FEELS THAT REAGAN'S CHARACTER AND REPUTATION ARE ABOVE REPROACH AND HE WOULD ASSOCIATE WITH NO PERSON WHO WAS NOT OF HIGH INTEGRITY. MONSIGNOR HAWKES RECOMMENDS REAGAN FOR THIS POSITION INVOLVING INTEREST OF U. S.

(B) RABBI EDGAR F. MAGNIN, WILSHIRE BOULEVARD TEMPLE, 3663 WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, RENDERED REMARKS SIMILAR TO THOSE ABOVE CONCERNING REAGAN. RABBI MAGNIN HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR 20 YEARS.

ARREST

RECORDS OF THE SHERIFF OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, THE SHERIFF OF ORANGE COUNTY, SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THE POLICE DEPARTMENTS OF LOS ANGELES (WHICH COVERS PACIFIC PALISADES), SANTA MONICA AND ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA, ARE NEGATIVE REGARDING REAGAN'S WIFE AND CHILDREN EXCEPT FOR [REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED] AT [REDACTED] WHO WAS ARRESTED BY THE LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT ON [REDACTED] FOR VIOLATION OF STATE OF CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODES NUMBER 22350 (SPEEDING), NUMBER 22354 (SPEEDING) AND NUMBER 40508 (FAILING TO APPEAR). THIS PARTICULAR ARREST RECORD REPORTED NO DISPOSITION FOR

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THESE OFFENSES. IT IS BEING NOTED THAT REAGAN'S PERSONAL

SECRETARY, HELENE VON DAMM, ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

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WAS BORN ON [REDACTED]

AT [REDACTED]

VERIFICATION OF RESIDENCES OF REAGAN'S CHILDREN

MRS. A. BORDNER, 1267 SOUTH DEVON AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED REAGAN'S DAUGHTER, MAUREEN REAGAN SILLS, HAS RESIDED AT 1267 1/2 SOUTH DEVON AVENUE FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS. FAVORABLE REGARDING CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.

JUDY RISLEY, MANAGER OF APARTMENT BUILDING AT 2449 WEST BALL ROAD, ANAHEIM, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED REAGAN'S SON, MICHAEL EDWARD REAGAN, HAS BEEN OCCUPYING APARTMENT 15 AT THIS ADDRESS SINCE JUNE, 1974. FAVORABLE REGARDING CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.

STEVEN PAUL BROWN, 948 14TH STREET, APARTMENT 11, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED REAGAN'S DAUGHTER, PATRICIA ANN REAGAN, HAS RESIDED AT 948 14TH STREET, APARTMENT A, SANTA MONICA, FOR ABOUT TWO YEARS. FAVORABLE REGARDING CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.

IT IS BEING NOTED THAT TOP OF PAGE FOUR OF LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU DATED JANUARY 7, 1975, INADVERTENTLY CARRIES MR. LOEBECKE'S FIRST NAME AS HENRY, WHERE ACTUALLY HIS FULL COMPLETE NAME IS ERNEST J. LOEBECKE, WHO IS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER T I CORPORATION.

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White House Office (WHO)

The following investigation was conducted by
SA GEORGE E. SAUNDERS, on January 7, 1975:

The files of the Personnel Office, WHO, contained
no record for the appointee: RONALD REAGAN.

The files of the Records Office, WHO, contained the
following information concerning the appointee:

May 22, 1970, Commissioned member, Advisory
Commission on Intergovernmental Relations. Term 2 years.

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United States Senator

On 1/7/75, ROY GREENWAY, Administrative Assistant to United States Senator ALLAN CRANSTON, California, advised that the Senator is unavailable for comment inasmuch as the Senator is presently in California.

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ASSOCIATE

On January 3, 1975, CASPAR W. WEINBERGER (associate), Secretary, Health, Education and Welfare, advised Special Agent DAVID R. LOESCH that he has known the appointee, RONALD REAGAN, since 1964 and that he became closely associated with him when he served as a member of Governor REAGAN's cabinet as Director of Finance for the State of California from 1969 to 1970. He advised that during his tenure as Director of Finance, he had almost daily contact with the appointee and learned a great deal about him. He described the appointee as highly intelligent, extremely capable, a great leader, dependable, conscientious, and a completely loyal and dedicated American. He felt the appointee had done an excellent job as Governor of California and stated he enjoys an excellent reputation throughout the country. He knew of nothing which would detract in any way from his character, associates, reputation or loyalty and he highly recommended him for a position on the commission appointed by President FORD to investigate the recent charges made against the Central Intelligence Agency, adding he felt the appointee was an excellent choice for this committee since he always had a great interest in the national security of our nation.

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CREDIT AND POLICE AGENCIES

On January 8, 1975, SA CHARLES W. SMITH, caused a search to be made of the files of the Credit Bureau Inc., Washington, D. C., and was advised that no record was located concerning the appointee.

On January 8, 1975, Special Clerk JOHN PAUL WILLIAMME, determined that no arrest record was contained in the Metropolitan Police Department files concerning the appointee.

It is to be noted that at all times an indefinite number of unidentified records are out and not available for review.

On January 8, 1975, Special Clerk JOHN PAUL WILLIAMME determined that no record was contained in the Department of Motor Vehicles, Government of the District of Columbia files concerning the appointee.

On January 8, 1975, Special Clerk WILLIAM H. LYERLY, Jr., determined that no record for the appointee could be located within the files of the U. S. Park Police, for Adult Criminal or Traffic records

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MISCELLANEOUS

On January 7, 1975, Special Clerk MYRA C. MILLER, caused a search to be made of the files of the House Committee on Internal Security and was advised that no identifiable derogatory information was located concerning the appointee.

On January 8, 1975, Special Clerk ALICE N. MUNZER, caused a search to be made of the files of the Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Civil Service Commission, and was advised that no record was found concerning the appointee.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2715) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED PAST.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU JANUARY 6, 7 AND 8, 1975.

ARREST.

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RECORDS OF CITRUS MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST COVINA, CALIFORNIA, REFLECT UNDER DOCKET NUMBER [] THAT [] BORN [] RECEIVED A TRAFFIC TICKET ON [] AT [] FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT, FOR VIOLATION OF STATE OF CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE 4000A (OPERATING UNREGISTERED VEHICLE). SUBSEQUENTLY A WARRANT WAS ISSUED WHEN HE FAILED TO APPEAR TO ANSWER CHARGE. ON [] WAS ARRESTED BY LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT (LAPD) AND RETURNED TO CITRUS MUNICIPAL COURT WHERE HE WAS CONVICTED ON [] AND FINED [] FOR THIS VIOLATION.

RECORDS OF WEST LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL COURT, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, REFLECT THAT UNDER DOCKET NUMBER [] BORN [] RECEIVED

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A TRAFFIC CITATION FROM LAPD ON [REDACTED] FOR
VIOLATION OF STATE OF CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE 22350 (SPEEDING).

[REDACTED] FAILED TO APPEAR AND IT WENT TO WARRANT ON [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ACCORDING TO MRS. SANDRA SPENCER OF THE DOCKET ROOM
OF THIS COURT, THIS WARRANT FOR [REDACTED] IS STILL OPEN.

MRS. SPENCER ADDED THAT WHEN [REDACTED] WAS ARRESTED ON [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] THE POLICE MISSED THIS WARRANT AS THE COMPUTER
READ-OUT CONTAINING INFORMATION ABOUT IT SHOWED THE
OFFENDER'S NAME AS BEING [REDACTED] INSTEAD OF
[REDACTED]

DOCKET NUMBER [REDACTED] OF WEST LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL
COURT REFLECTS A TRAFFIC CITATION WAS ISSUED TO [REDACTED]
BY LAPD ON [REDACTED] WHEN HE FAILED TO APPEAR IT
WENT TO WARRANT ON [REDACTED] FOLLOWING HIS ARREST
ON [REDACTED] BY LAPD HE APPEARED IN LOS ANGELES
MUNICIPAL COURT AND WAS FINED [REDACTED] FOR SPEEDING CHARGE
OF AUGUST 30, 1972 AND [REDACTED] FOR FAILING TO APPEAR TO
ANSWER THIS CHARGE.

DOCKET NUMBER [REDACTED] OF THE WEST LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL
COURT REFLECTS THAT [REDACTED] RECEIVED A TRAFFIC CITATION FROM
LAPD ON [REDACTED] FOR VIOLATION OF STATE OF CALIFORNIA
VEHICLE CODE 22350 (SPEEDING). WHEN HE FAILED TO APPEAR

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THIS CHARGE WENT TO WARRANT ON [REDACTED] ON

[REDACTED] WAS STOPPED BY THE GARDEN GROVE, CALIFORNIA,
POLICE DEPARTMENT ON THIS WARRANT AND POSTED BAIL OF

[REDACTED] WHICH WAS SENT TO WEST LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL COURT.

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ON MAY 15, 1973, THIS BAIL WAS FORFEITED.

IT IS NOTED THAT THE ARREST OF [REDACTED] ON [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS A SINGLE ARREST WHICH GENERATED THE ABOVE
NOTED VARIOUS COURT ACTIONS.

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RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

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REBUTELCALL TO SACRAMENTO THIS DATE.

RICHARD RODDA, SACRAMENTO BEE, SAID HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN PERSONALLY EIGHT YEARS WHICH ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN LIMITED TO PRESS CONFERENCES AND A FEW PUBLIC GATHERINGS HE DESCRIBED AS MIXED POLITICAL-SOCIAL AFFAIRS. HE ADDED THROUGH HIS EXTENSIVE SOURCES HE FEEL HE KNOWS A GREAT DEAL ABOUT REAGAN.

JESSE UNRUH, STATE TREASURER, SAID HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN BECAUSE UNRUH WAS SPEAKER OF THE CALIF. STATE ASSEMBLY DURING REAGAN'S FIRST TERM AND HE HAS MAINTAINED AN ACTIVE ROLE IN DEMOCRATIC POLITICS SINCE REAGAN DEFEATED HIM IN THE GUBERNATORIAL ELECTION IN 1970. HE SAID HIS OPINION THAT REAGAN MAINTAINED A MILITARISTIC ATTITUDE TOWARD PEOPLE WAS BASED ON HIS BELIEF THAT A PUBLIC OFFICE HOLDER SHOULD NOT BE SO ALOOF AND DISTANT WITH PEOPLE WORKING FORM HIM AS UNRUH KNEW REAGAN TO BE. HE FELT PEOPLE WORKING FOR YOU SHOULD BE TREATED MORE IN THE NATURE OF

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EQUAL HUMAN BEINGS AND THAT REAGAN'S PATTERN OF "SHUTTING HIMSELF OFF FROM ACCESS" BY A RIGID CHAIN OF COMMAND WAS EVIDENCE OF A LACK OF RESPECT FOR OTHERS.

CHARLES K. MC CLATCHY, SACRAMENTO BEE, SAID HE HAS KNOWN REAGAN PERSONALLY FOR EIGHT YEARS, BUT ONLY THROUGH ATTENDANCE AT OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS. HE FELT, HOWEVER, HE HAS GAINED GREAT INSIGHT OF THE TYPE OF PERSON REAGAN IS THROUGH HEARING FROM MANY PEOPLE WHO HAVE KNOWN REAGAN UNDER NUMEROUS VARYING CIRCUMSTANCES. ALL INFORMATION HE HAS WOULD INDICATE THERE IS NO QUESTION AS TO REAGAN'S CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID THAT, ASIDE FROM HIS PREFERENCE FOR LESS CONSERVATIVE PEOPLE IN GOVERNMENT, HE WOULD RECOMMEND REAGAN FOR A POSITION OF TRUST AND RESPONSIBILITY.

MARCH FONG EU, SECRETARY OF STATE, SAID SHE HAS KNOWN REAGAN FOR EIGHT YEARS BECAUSE SHE WAS FORMERLY A CALIFORNIA SENATOR, BUT HAS HAD ONLY VERY LIMITED PERSONAL EXPOSURE TO HIM. SHE SAID SHE HAS NO INFORMATION TO QUESTION HIS CHARACTER, PERSONAL REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES OR LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES.

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SENATORS GEORGE R. MOSCONE AND ALBERT RODDA AND ASSEMBLYMAN LEROY GREENE (PREVIOUSLY SPELLED GREEN) ALL SAID THAT REAGAN'S PERSONAL REPUTATION, HABITS, CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES ARE ABOVE QUESTION.

JACK VANDENBERG STATED HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND REAGAN.

EDWIN BEACH SAID EVERYTHING HE KNOWS ABOUT REAGAN'S CHARACTER, REPUTATION, HABITS, ASSOCIATES AND LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES IS SATISFACTORY.

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White House Office (WHO)

On January 8, 1975, the following additional information was determined by SA ROBERT P. CRONIN, at WHO records:

January 4, 1975, RONALD WILSON REAGAN was appointed by the President to the Commission on the CIA activities within the United States.

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Atomic Energy Commission - Security (AECS)
Germantown, Maryland

The following investigation was conducted by
SA PETER P. OSINSKI, on January 8, 1975:

The Personnel Security Files, Division of
Security, United States Atomic Energy Commission was
checked and it was determined that Security file CA 32055 WA
contained the following information concerning the appointee
RONALD WILSON REAGAN:

January 2, 1967

USAEC, San Francisco, California,
granted a "Q" clearance as Governor
of California in connection with his
official duties.

March 24, 1969

"Q" clearance extended to USAEC,
Washington, D. C.,

The clearance is currently active.

No additional pertinent information
contained within the file.

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On January 8, 1975, MARY SHINKWIN, Personal Secretary to United States Senator JOHN V. TUNNEY, California, advised SA MAURICE G. AUSTIN the Senator is unavailable and he has authorized her to state the appointee, RONALD REAGAN, is known to him, he thinks highly of him and he would have no objection to his appointment to a position of trust and confidence.

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U.S. Department of State (USDS)
Washington, D.C. (WDC)

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent DONALD R. KOMAN on January 8, 1975:

RICHARD P. PHRONEBERGER, Clerk, Personnel Files, and ERNEST JEFFERSON, Clerk, Personnel Locator, both Personnel Services Division, advised the records of their respective offices contain no information indicating appointee was ever employed in any capacity at USDS.

SALLY CUTTING, Staff Assistant, U.S. National Commission for the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), advised the files of the commission show no reference to RONALD REAGAN as ever having served on the commission.

L. ARTHUR MINNICH, Senior Program Advisor to the Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, advised he is the former Executive Secretary of the U.S. National Commission for UNESCO and recalled that appointee never served on the commission.

MINNICH noted the commission had a meeting in San Francisco in the Fall of 1973 which involved a number of celebrities including SAMMIE DAVIS, JR., and SHIRLEY (TEMPLE) BLACK, who is current Ambassador to GHANA. He noted appointee was Governor of California at the time and possibly was involved with the meeting. He also thought that appointee's name may have been suggested for appointment to the commission or to the U.S. Delegation through a UNESCO General Conference, but to his knowledge appointee has never served on same. He noted that general conferences are held every two years on the even years.

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On January 9, 1975, Special Clerk ALICE N. MUNZER, caused a search to be made of the files of the U. S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury and was advised that no record was found concerning the appointee.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM SACRAMENTO (161-455) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

RE SC TEL TO BUREAU JANUARY 8, 1975.

^{FONG} MARCH JONG EU, CALIFORNIA SECRETARY OF STATE (NEWLY ^{Democrat} INSTALLED), STATED THAT SHE WOULD NOT RECOMMEND REAGAN

FOR THIS APPOINTMENT, IF IT IS FOR THE COMMISSION TO

LOOK INTO THE CIA, SHE SAID SHE DOES NOT FEEL THAT HE

COULD BE OBJECTIVE OR IMPARTIAL REGARDING DECISIONS

HE MIGHT MAKE IN THIS POSITION BECAUSE SHE CONSIDERS HIM

"ULTRA CONSERVATIVE." SHE SAID THAT ON THE

OTHER HAND SHE HAS NO QUESTION AS TO HIS HONESTY OR

INTEGRITY, AND BECAUSE HER OPINION OF HIS ABILITY WOULD

BE COLORED BY THEIR OPPOSING POLITICAL STANCES,

IF THE APPOINTMENT WERE FOR SOME OTHER POSITION, GIVING AS

AN EXAMPLE IN AGRICULTURE, SHE WOULD RECOMMEND HIM. SHE

STATED SHE DID NOT FEEL THAT SHE KNEW HIM WELL ENOUGH

TO COMMENT FURTHER.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Special Agent KENNETH J. HASER, caused a search to be made of the Office of Security, Department of State, and was advised on January 10, 1975, that no additional pertinent information was found concerning the appointee RONALD W. REAGAN.

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FROM: SAC, WFO (161-10227) (P)

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SPECIAL INQUIRY
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Re WFO airtel to Bureau, 1/9/75.

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- 1 - Mr. Cleveland
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**Miss Jane Dannenhauer
Staff Assistant (Security)
The White House
Washington, D. C.**

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Dear Miss Dannenhauer:

Transmitted herewith is a summary memorandum containing the results of investigation concerning Ronald Wilson Reagan, former Governor of California, in accordance with your request received on January 6, 1975.

An applicant-type investigation concerning Governor Reagan was conducted in 1967, the results of which have previously been furnished to you. The enclosed summary memorandum covers the period since February, 1967.

Information has been received indicating checks of the files of the Office of Watergate Special Prosecution Force, Department of Justice; Office of Security, Department of State; and the Internal Revenue Service have not been completed. When these checks have been completed, you will be advised.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley
Director

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Miss Jane Dannenhauer

NOTE: Reagan, former Governor of California, recently was appointed to President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. Investigation determined 11 persons who are affiliated with the Democratic Party, including Alan Cranston, U. S. Senator from California, and California Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr., either declined to recommend Reagan or would furnish no recommendation primarily due to political considerations. None questioned Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates. [REDACTED] arrested on several occasions for failure to appear to answer traffic citations. Investigation otherwise favorable and complete, except for checks of files of three governmental agencies.

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January 14, 1975

RONALD WILSON REAGAN

Summary

THE INVESTIGATION OF GOVERNOR REAGAN COVERED INQUIRIES AS TO HIS CHARACTER, LOYALTY, ABILITY, AND GENERAL STANDING, BUT NO INQUIRIES WERE MADE AS TO THE SOURCES OF HIS INCOME.

This summary memorandum covers the period since February, 1967. Governor Reagan was born on February 6, 1911, in Tampico, Illinois.

Employment

Governor Reagan, who was sworn in as Governor of the State of California on December 27, 1966, continued to serve in this capacity until January 6, 1975.

On January 4, 1975, Governor Reagan received a Presidential appointment as a member of the President's Commission on Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) Activities Within the United States.

CIA information is unclassified per their letter of 5/19/92. 4803 RDD/PSK 11/22/93.

While serving as Governor of California, Governor Reagan was also a member of the Board of Regents of the University of California and from May, 1970, to May, 1972, he also served as a member of the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, Washington, D. C.

Marital Status

Governor Reagan is married to the former Nancy Davis, his second wife. They and one of their two children, Ronald Prescott Reagan, reside at 1669 San Onofre Road, Pacific Palisades, California.

Governor Reagan also maintains a ranch near Santa Barbara, California, where he breeds and raises horses.

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Interviews

Robert F. Six, President, Continental Air Lines, Incorporated, Los Angeles, California, advised he has been a close personal friend of Governor Reagan's for over twenty-five years. He stated Governor Reagan is an outstanding selection as a member of the President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. He said he is of the opinion Governor Reagan is a good staff man and will apply himself to his tasks with far greater zeal than will his colleagues. He advised Governor Reagan is honest, strong, and very intelligent and has the ability to retain a high degree of the voluminous material which he studies. He said that although other members of the aforementioned commission may possess broader knowledge concerning intelligence matters, he feels Governor Reagan will be his own man and will arrive at good solid conclusions independent of his more experienced colleagues. Mr. Six commented favorably concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates and he highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Charles B. Thornton, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Litton Industries, Incorporated, Beverly Hills, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan for fifteen years. He said Governor Reagan is an intelligent and gifted individual who is a top-notch administrator. He said Governor Reagan is hardworking and gives serious thought to matters which affect his country. He said Governor Reagan cannot be considered a "rubber stamp" or a person who will give superficial treatment to matters coming to his attention. He advised Governor Reagan is temperate in his personal habits and is devoted to his family. Mr. Thornton stated Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates are unquestionable and he highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the Federal Government.

Edward Mills, Member of the Board of Directors, G. I. Trucking Company, Los Angeles, California, and former Treasurer and Finance Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee of California, advised he has known Governor Reagan

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professionally and socially for nine years. He stated Governor Reagan has made a mark as a successful executive which can be readily observed by the manner in which he led the State of California for eight years. He said Governor Reagan is a very intelligent individual and his skill as an administrator is hard to equal. He advised Governor Reagan was unselfish in his service to the State of California and made many worthwhile contributions to the people of that State. He commented favorably concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates and he highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

A. C. Lyles, Producer, Paramount Studios, Hollywood, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan professionally and socially for thirty-five years. He stated Governor Reagan is a hardworking individual and has always been destined to become a high public official. He said Governor Reagan is a good listener and gives a great deal of consideration to the views of others in making decisions. He stated Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates are above reproach and he highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the Federal Government.

Evelle J. Younger, Attorney General, State of California, advised in Los Angeles, California, he has been acquainted with Governor Reagan for almost twelve years. He stated Governor Reagan is a completely honorable man who has a strong personality and will never yield to any pressure of a devious nature. He said Governor Reagan is an excellent administrator and has an incisive mind which enables him to readily arrive at the root of complicated problems. He advised that when confronted with important matters, Governor Reagan is able to perform with a high degree of efficiency. He commented favorably concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates and he recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

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Gardner Cowles, Chairman, Cowles Communications, Incorporated, New York, New York, advised he has known Governor Reagan professionally and socially for thirty years. He stated Governor Reagan is a man of integrity who is honest, responsible, stable, and unbiased. He said Governor Reagan has a deep concern for and interest in the United States and its people. He commented favorably concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates and he highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the Federal Government.

Elton H. Rule, President and Chief Executive Officer, American Broadcasting Companies, Incorporated, New York, New York, advised he has known Governor Reagan for approximately ten years. He stated Governor Reagan is a man of integrity who is levelheaded and very conservative in all of his undertakings. He said Governor Reagan deals with all problems and situations in a logical and thorough manner. He commented favorably concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, and associates and he recommended him without reservations for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Philipp C. Wilkins, Judge, United States District Court, Eastern District of California, Sacramento, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan for approximately eight years. He stated he is of the opinion Governor Reagan proved himself to be a man of integrity in that while in office he tried harder than any of his predecessors to fulfill his campaign promises. He advised he knows of nothing unfavorable concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates and said that based on his association with him he would recommend Governor Reagan for any position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Randolph Collier, California State Senator, Sacramento, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan for eight years. He said that although he and Governor Reagan are members of opposing political parties, he considers him to be at the top of the list of Governors under whom he, Senator Collier, has served. He described Governor Reagan as a great administrator who does his own thinking and does something about it. He stated there is nothing "wishy-washy"

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about Governor Reagan and there is no question concerning his character, loyalty, reputation, or associates. He highly recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Martin Smith, Managing Editor, "The Sacramento Bee," daily newspaper published in Sacramento, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan for nine years. He stated he served as a reporter with the newspaper from 1965 to 1970 and as such covered and traveled with Governor Reagan. He said that while he did not always agree with Governor Reagan's philosophies and policies, he noted Governor Reagan was always well versed on the issues of the day. He said he has found himself agreeing with Governor Reagan's viewpoints in the recent past. He said he considers him to be a most honest individual and a very capable administrator. He advised he knows of nothing derogatory concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates and he recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Charles K. McClatchy, Vice President and Editor, "The Sacramento Bee," Sacramento, California, previously mentioned, advised he has known Governor Reagan for eight years. He stated his newspaper had been politically opposite of Governor Reagan's policies and always was at odds with him and his administration. He said, however, that during the eight years of the Reagan Administration no positive information was ever uncovered which would cast an unfavorable reflection on Governor Reagan's integrity. He described him as "Mr. Clean" and added that if Governor Reagan had ever done anything wrong his newspaper would have made front page news of it. He stated there is no question concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates and said that aside from his, Mr. McClatchy's, preference for less conservative people in Government he would recommend Governor Reagan for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government.

Mary L. Shinkwin, Secretary to John V. Tunney, United States Senator from California, advised in Washington, D. C., Senator Tunney is unavailable for interview. She stated she is authorized to advise Senator Tunney thinks highly of Governor Reagan and has no objection to his being selected for a position of trust and confidence with the Federal Government.

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Alan Cranston, United States Senator from California, advised in Los Angeles, California, he has no reason to question Governor Reagan's integrity, character, loyalty, or associates as they pertain to his, Governor Reagan's, selection as a member of the President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. He said, however, he challenges Governor Reagan's capabilities in that he is not convinced Governor Reagan exhibits enough concern for the sort of threat to the civil liberties of individuals which the alleged activities of the CIA imposes. He stated he further questions Governor Reagan's commitment to the task which he will be confronted with as a member of the aforementioned commission. Senator Cranston declined to furnish any further information and stated he would not recommend Governor Reagan for the position in question.

Edmund G. Brown, Jr., Governor, State of California, Sacramento, California, advised he has known Governor Reagan for four years. He stated he considers him to have been a good Governor; however, he personally feels Governor Reagan greatly emphasized his own personal security. He said he also feels Governor Reagan was overly solicitous of the California National Guard, the State Department of Justice, and the various state law enforcement agencies to the point where the budgets of these agencies were not subject to fiscal review by the Office of the State Auditor. He advised he also feels Governor Reagan displayed a great distrust for the professional career civil service employee of the State of California. He said he further feels Governor Reagan is out of touch with the "common man" in that he restricts his associates to a very wealthy circle of close friends. He advised he has no reason to question Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates. Governor Brown stated he feels Governor Reagan's apparent overemphasis on security and law enforcement matters could raise a question of possible bias on Governor Reagan's part as a member of the President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. He stated he would not make a recommendation one way or another concerning Governor Reagan's appointment as a member of this body.

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The following individuals, who are affiliated with the Democratic Party and who have known Governor Reagan for varying periods of time up to eight years, either declined to recommend him or would furnish no recommendation concerning him. Governor Reagan was variously described by these persons as a capable, honest, and very intelligent individual who is highly motivated. It was stated he is ultraconservative in his views and is strongly opinionated and did not show compassion for professional career civil service employees of the State of California during his tenure as Governor. It was also stated Governor Reagan is a strong advocate of law and order and, as a result, during his tenure as Governor the budgets of the California National Guard, State Department of Justice, and the various State law enforcement agencies were not subject to normal fiscal review by the State Auditor's office. It was also stated that during his tenure in office, Governor Reagan greatly over-emphasized his own personal security; however, it was noted that during a portion of this period there was considerable social unrest throughout the country. Two of these persons questioned whether or not Governor Reagan would be objective and unbiased in making decisions as a member of the President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. None of these persons furnished any derogatory information concerning Governor Reagan's character, loyalty, reputation, or associates.

Jesse M. Unruh, Treasurer, State of California,
Sacramento, California

March Fong Eu, Secretary of State, State of
California, Sacramento, California

James R. Mills, Speaker of the Senate,
California State Assembly, State of California,
Sacramento, California

Leo T. McCarthy, Speaker of the Assembly,
California State Assembly, Sacramento, California

George R. Moscone, California State Senator,
Sacramento, California

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**Leroy Greene, California State Assemblyman,
State of California, Sacramento, California**

**Edwin Beach, Acting Director of Finance, State
of California, Sacramento, California**

**A. Alan Post, Legislative Analyst, State of
California, Sacramento, California**

**Richard Rodda, Political Editor, "The Sacramento
Bee," daily newspaper published in Sacramento,
California**

Sixty-two additional persons, consisting of professional associates and acquaintances, were interviewed. They stated Governor Reagan is a loyal American citizen of good character, reputation, and associates and they recommended him for a position of trust and confidence with the United States Government. He was variously described as an intelligent, conscientious, dependable, forthright, hardworking, honest, sincere, stable, and trustworthy individual. It was stated Governor Reagan is an excellent administrator who possesses the ability to analyze problems and arrive at objective conclusions. It was further stated Governor Reagan is articulate, compassionate, perceptive, and straightforward. He was also described as having a broad knowledge of domestic and international affairs and as a person who is fair and impartial in his dealings with others. Several of these persons commented Governor Reagan is an excellent choice as a member of the President's Commission on CIA Activities Within the United States. Persons acquainted with his close relatives advised they are reputable individuals.

Among the persons interviewed during the course of this investigation were the following:

**George L. Murphy, former United States Senator
from California, Los Angeles, California**

**Walter Pidgeon, noted motion picture actor,
Los Angeles, California**

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Justin Dart, Chairman and President, Dart Industries, Incorporated, Los Angeles, California

B. F. Raynes, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Rohr Industries, Incorporated, Chula Vista, California

Hugh A. Evans, Judge, Third District Court of Appeals, State of California, Sacramento, California

Albert Rodda, California State Senator, Sacramento, California

James Cagney, noted motion picture actor, Beverly Hills, California

Stanton G. Hale, Chairman, Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, Los Angeles, California

Henry Salvatori, Chairman and President, Grant Oil Tool Company, Los Angeles, California

J. Robert Fluor, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Fluor Corporation, Los Angeles, California

C. J. Medberry, Chairman of the Board and Executive Officer (Southern California), Bank of America National Trust and Savings Association, San Francisco, California

Earle M. Jorgensen, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Earle M. Jorgensen Company, Los Angeles, California

Gordon Luce, President and Chief Executive Officer, San Diego Federal Savings and Loan Association, San Diego, California

Mervyn M. Dymally, Lieutenant Governor, State of California, Sacramento, California

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**John Hay, President California Chamber of
Commerce, Sacramento, California**

**William S. Banowsky, President, Pepperdine
University, Malibu, California**

**Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Health,
Education, and Welfare**

**William French Smith, Senior Partner,
Los Angeles, California, law firm of Gibson,
Dunn and Crutcher**

**James A. Hayes, Chairman of the Los Angeles
County Board of Supervisors, Los Angeles,
California**

**Frank K. Richardson, Associate Justice,
Supreme Court of California, Sacramento,
California**

**William P. Clark, Jr., Associate Justice,
Supreme Court of California, Sacramento,
California**

**Ernest J. Loebbecke, Chairman and Chief
Executive Officer, TI Corporation of California,
Los Angeles, California**

Close Relatives

**In addition to his wife and son, previously mentioned,
Governor Reagan has the following living close relatives:**

Son	Michael Edward Reagan Anaheim, California
Daughter	Maureen Reagan Sills Los Angeles, California
Daughter	Patricia Ann Reagan Santa Monica, California

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Brother

John Neil Reagan
Rancho Santa Fe, California

Credit and Arrest Checks

Information has been received from appropriate credit reporting agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Governor Reagan.

Information has been received from appropriate law enforcement agencies indicating their files contain no information concerning Governor Reagan or his close relatives, except the following:

The records of the Citrus Municipal Court, West Covina, California, disclose

[redacted]
[redacted] was cited by the West Covina, California, Police Department on [redacted]
[redacted], for operating an unregistered vehicle. A traffic warrant was issued when he failed to appear to answer this charge and he was arrested on [redacted], by the Los Angeles, California, Police Department. He was returned to the Citrus Municipal Court and on [redacted], was convicted on this charge and fined [redacted].

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The records of the West Los Angeles Municipal Court, Los Angeles, California, disclose

[redacted]
[redacted] was cited on [redacted], by the Los Angeles, California, Police Department for speeding. A traffic warrant was issued on [redacted], when he failed to appear to answer this charge, which warrant is still open. It was determined that when he was arrested on [redacted], by the

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Los Angeles, California, Police Department, as previously noted, this warrant was missed as the computer printout misspelled his name.

The records of the West Los Angeles Municipal Court, Los Angeles, California, further disclose

[redacted]
was cited on [redacted], by the Los Angeles, California, Police Department for speeding. A traffic warrant was issued when he failed to appear to answer this charge and following his arrest on [redacted], by the Los Angeles, California, Police Department, previously mentioned, he appeared in West Los Angeles Municipal Court and was fined [redacted] for speeding and [redacted] for failure to appear.

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The records of the West Los Angeles Municipal Court, Los Angeles, California, further disclose

[redacted] was cited on [redacted] for speeding. A traffic warrant was issued when he failed to appear and on [redacted] he forfeited [redacted] for this charge.

Security Clearance

Governor Reagan was granted a "Q" clearance on January 2, 1967, by the Atomic Energy Commission. This clearance remains in effect.

Agency Checks

Information has been received from the following governmental agencies indicating their files contain either no record or no additional pertinent information concerning Governor Reagan:

*CIA reference is unclassified per their 5/19/92 letter.
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**Atomic Energy Commission; Bureau of
Personnel Investigations, Civil Service
Commission; Central Intelligence Agency;
Defense Central Index of Investigations;
House Committee on Internal Security;
Naval Investigative Service; Naval
Intelligence Command; United States Secret
Service; and The White House Office.**

**The central files of the FBI, including the files of
the Identification Division, contain no additional pertinent
information concerning Governor Reagan.**

1 - Mr. Cleveland
1 - Mr. Young
1 - Mr. Ritzer

January 15, 1975

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Miss Jane Dannenhauer
Staff Assistant (Security)
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Miss Dannenhauer:

b3 26 USC Section 6103 per IRS

Reference is made to my letter dated January 14, 1975, which furnished you the results of investigation concerning Ronald Wilson Reagan, former Governor of California.

Information has been received indicating the files of the Office of Security, Department of State, contain no additional information concerning Governor Reagan.

When the check of the files of the Office of Watergate Special Prosecution Force, Department of Justice, has been completed, you will be advised.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley
Director

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-10227) (RUC)

RONALD WILSON REAGAN
SPECIAL INQUIRY
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Re WFO airtel to Bureau, 1/13/75.

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Office of Watergate Special Prosecution Force

On January 22, 1975, CARL B. FELDBAUM, Executive Assistant to the Special Prosecution Force advised SA MAURICE G. AUSTIN that the appointee RONALD WILSON REAGAN is not the subject of investigation.

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1 - Mr. Cleveland
1 - Mr. Young
1 - Mr. Ritzer

January 28, 1975

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Miss Jane Dannenhauer
Staff Assistant (Security)
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Miss Dannenhauer:

Reference is made to my letter dated
January 15, 1975, and prior correspondence which
furnished you the results of investigation concerning
Ronald Wilson Reagan, former Governor of California.

Information has been received indicating
Governor Reagan is not the subject of an investigation
by the Office of Special Prosecution Force, Department
of Justice.

This concludes the investigation in this
matter.

Sincerely yours,

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Clarence M. Kelley
Director

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Date March 24, 1976

From: Director, FBI

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☐ Attn: ☐ Attn:

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Attorney General ☐ Deputy Attorney General
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Subject (Text begins next page):

UNKNOWN ~~XXXXXX~~ SUBJECT; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN; GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE, MARCH 23, 1976.

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TO: ~~DIRECTOR, FBI~~

FROM: ~~SAC, PHOENIX (175 NEW) (C) (ONE PAGE)~~

~~UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REGAN; GOVERNOR STATE OF~~

~~ARIZONA RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE, MARCH 23, 1976~~

FBI PHOENIX ON MARCH 24, 1976, ADVISED:

THE PHOENIX, ARIZONA OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF

INVESTIGATION WAS ADVISED BY MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

TUCSON, ARIZONA OPERATOR NUMBER 152 THAT AT 10:55 P.M. ON

MARCH 23, 1976 AN UNIDENTIFIED MALE CALLER TOLD HER, "TELL

THE FBI THAT RONALD REGAN AND RAUL CASTRO WILL BE SHOT TONIGHT."

THE CALLER IMMEDIATELY DISCONNECTED.

THIS INFORMATION WAS FURNISHED TO PHOENIX OFFICE OF FBI AT

11:00 P.M. ON MARCH 23, 1976. AT 11:00 P.M. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING

RECEIPT OF ABOVE TELEPHONE CALL, MICHAEL LUDY, U.S. SECRET

SERVICE, PHOENIX: SGT. LARRY BUNTING, TUCSON POLICE DEPARTMENT;

SGT. G. SHERWIN, PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT AND SGT. A. TIGER,

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, PHOENIX WERE ADVISED OF

FOREGOING INFORMATION.

~~ADMINISTRATIVE: FOR INFORMATION BUREAU, PHOENIX IS~~

~~DISSEMINATING THE FOREGOING INFORMATION LOCALLY AND ANTICIPATES~~

~~NO ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION THIS MATTER.~~

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (89-189) (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka

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(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

Ronald Reagan-1579

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 11/25/75.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an
LHM.

One copy of LHM is being disseminated to the
U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco.

On 8/18/76, Assistant Sheriff BUD COOK, Monterey
County Sheriff's Office (MCSO), Salinas, California, advised
that Sheriff JACK DAVENPORT had received a card with other
enclosures from a [REDACTED]
San Francisco, California. COOK stated that this card
contained certain veiled threats against Presidential
candidate RONALD REAGAN.

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On 8/18/76, BUD COOK made available a copy of
the envelope in which card and documents received which was
postmarked 8/5/76, at Monterey, California. Examination
of many documents revealed that these documents have been
previously received through investigation of [REDACTED] by the
FBI, and that information has been furnished to the U.S.
Secret Service. It is noted in referenced airtel that the
Secret Service is well aware of [REDACTED] activities in
San Francisco, California, and that they are aware that he

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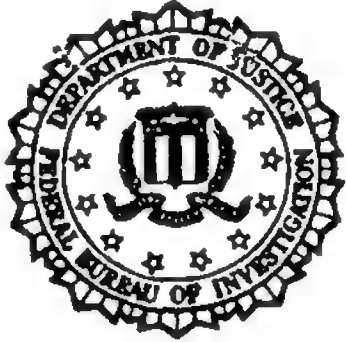
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is an individual considered potentially dangerous to the life of the President of the United States.

On 8/19/76, information contained in the communication through Sheriff DAVENPORT was furnished to U.S. Secret Service Agent ROBERT MC KNIGHT, at San Francisco, by SA NORMAN W. MOLLERUP, FBI, Monterey.

In view of the fact that [] is well known to the Secret Service in San Francisco, no further investigation is being conducted, UACB.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Francisco, California

August 20, 1976

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On August 18, 1976, Assistant Sheriff Bud Cook, Monterey County Sheriff's Office (MCSO), Salinas, California, made available an envelope sent to Sheriff Davenport, MCSO, Salinas, California, from [REDACTED] [REDACTED] San Francisco, California. This envelope was postmarked in Monterey, California, on August 5, 1976, and contains a card addressed to Sheriff Davenport which contained veiled threats against Presidential candidate Ronald Reagan.

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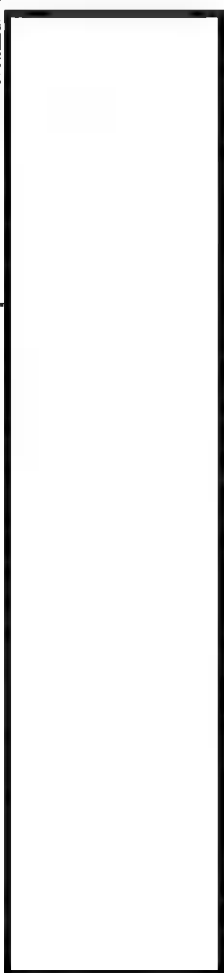
A copy of the envelope, the envelope containing the card and the card is attached herewith.

Information contained was furnished to U.S. Secret Service Special Agent Robert Mc Knight, San Francisco, California, on August 19, 1976, by Special Agent Norman W. Mollerup of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Ronald Reagan-1581

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 San Francisco,
California

Sherry Davenport

P.O. Box 809

Salinas, California

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Ronald Reagan-1582

Behold, my brothers, the spring has come; the earth has received the embraces of the sun and we shall soon see the results of that love!

Every seed is awakened and so has all animal life. It is through this mysterious power that we too have our being and we therefore yield to our neighbors, even our animal neighbors, the same right as ourselves to inhabit this land.

— Sitting Bull

Ronald Reagan-1583

Alb. S. 542
Monterey, Calif.

Shirley,

I hope the enclosed documents are not a complete surprise. Chief Earl of S.F. may have contacted you before this time to give you a little more warning.

Suggest it to say that if Gov. Brown can not see fit to rectify the messes shown by Clinton, the time will come when the Republic will have to stop renewed and grow into the people with truth and leadership. As it stands now, Gov. Brown is allowing the courts to make a mockery of many many issues — and this cannot be tolerated much longer.

Please understand that I love & respect Jerry — and I moral him no harm, physically or otherwise. However, certain things need doing & if we can't make it that the state is over. (over)

I am trying to co-ordinate
my activities in Monterey with
the Presidential Race.

Remember the Cowboy and I had a
race to settle who if we both a
that at the presidency by out-
looking my admitted men
we will be both to break loose.
Just it will happen in Santa
Barbara + then. Now - But I
don't allow that cowboy into
the White House without an
apology.

If you think I'm over-zealous,
keep in mind that I don't carry
a weapon - just me, the nation

the son and the Holy Ghost.

Painting by Paul Goble

A pal,

From Lane Hall's House, by Paul and Dorothy Goble
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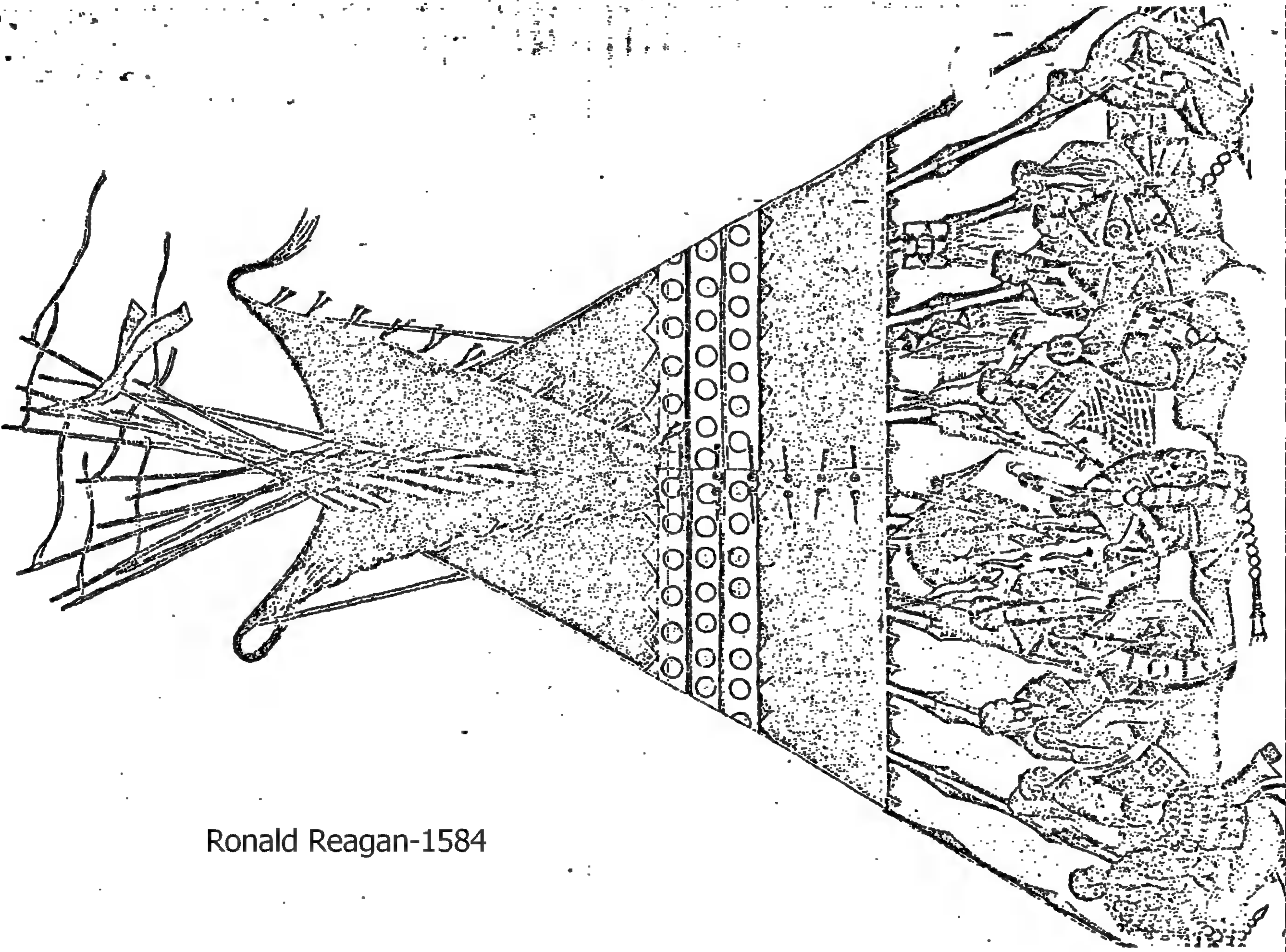
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To: Director, FBI (44-69606)

From: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (44-11615)(P)

Subject: [REDACTED] aka [REDACTED]

ATTENTION:

- ☒ GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
☒ CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION
☒ CRIMINAL SECTION
☐ INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

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 INTERFERENCE WITH FEDERALLY PROTECTED ACTIVITIES

- ☒ CR ☐ EL ☐ DIH ☐ CRA-64
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☐ EID ☐ Bomb-Threats ☐ Extremist-Matters
☐ White Hate ☐ Black

Summary of Complaint:

Individual identified as [REDACTED] NM, DOB [REDACTED] called Oakland Resident Agency threatening to kill RONALD REAGAN if and when REAGAN came to Oakland, California. Secret Service immediately notified; AUSA, San Francisco, consulted, and prosecution declined pending further investigation by Secret Service. AUSA requested FBI maintain close liaison with Secret Service re location and interview of [REDACTED] Investigation to locate [REDACTED] negative to date. Local authorities notified, and appropriate stops placed

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INDICES: ☒ Negative

ACTION: UACB

☒ No other action being taken and☒ LHM enclosed☐ FD-376 (Enc. to LHM)☐ LHM being submitted☐ Report being submitted☐ Preliminary investigation instituted☐ Limited investigation instituted☒ Investigation continuing☒ Copy to:☒ US☒ Secret Service☐ ATF

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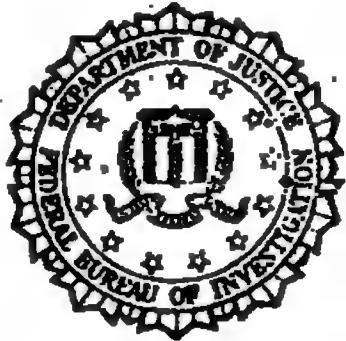
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Francisco, California

August 19, 1976

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INTERFERENCE WITH FEDERALLY
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One copy of this memorandum is being furnished to the U. S. Attorney, San Francisco, California, and U. S. Secret Service, San Francisco.

At 9:04 AM, August 2, 1976, an individual who is believed to be a Negro male adult telephonically contacted the Oakland Resident Agency of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and stated, "If Ronald Reagan comes to Oakland, California he will be a dead motherf---". Interviewing Agent, through indirect questions determined the caller's identity to be [redacted] born [redacted] address given as [redacted] Oakland, California; however, caller stated he does not live at this address any longer, and then abruptly broke off conversation.

At 9:08 AM, U. S. Secret Service Agent Kent Barnes, San Francisco, California, was advised of the caller's threat by Special Agent Lance D. Samuelson, FBI. Barnes advised Secret Service would immediately open a case and attempt to develop further information relative to [redacted]

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At 9:38 AM, August 2, 1976, a second telephone call was received at the Oakland Resident Agency of the FBI from a male who identified himself as [redacted] and stated, "You know Reagan? I'm going to kill him if he ever comes to Oakland". In further communication with the caller

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he was asked to spell his name and he did so, and when asked for his home address again stated it was [redacted] Oakland, and once again abruptly broke the connection.

The matter of the call was again relayed to Kent Barnes, Secret Service, San Francisco, at 9:47 AM, August 2, 1976, by Special Agent Russell J. Huckaby, FBI.

On August 2, 1976, this matter was presented to Assistant U. S. Attorney Robert D. Ward, San Francisco, who after hearing the details of this matter advised he would decline prosecution of [redacted] for the time being, pending further developments of the investigation being conducted by Secret Service. Mr. Ward advised he would request that the FBI maintain close liaison with the Secret Service for further developments.

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Daily contacts and joint investigative efforts by the FBI and Secret Service have failed to locate [redacted] who has moved from the address given, and his whereabouts are presently unknown.

The information regarding [redacted] telephone calls and verbal threats, as well as background information and photographs have been provided to the Patrol Division and Special Operations Section of the Oakland Police Department, Oakland, California. Investigation conducted by the Oakland Police Department to locate [redacted] has been negative to date.

On August 9, 1976, Kent Barnes, Secret Service, San Francisco, was contacted and advised his investigation to locate [redacted] was negative to date, and without an interview of [redacted] in which [redacted] would again reiterate his threats, he would lack authority to arrest without prior U. S. Attorney authority, which, without interview, would not be forthcoming.

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also known as
[redacted]

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Appropriate stops have been placed with local authorities to facilitate notification of the Secret Service and the FBI in the event [redacted] is arrested so interview of [redacted] may take place.

Records of the Alameda County Central Identification Bureau, Oakland, on August 2, 1976, disclosed an extensive arrest record including the following major offenses:

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Memorandum

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: EXTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION

DATE: 11/12/76

FROM: *Regan* ADIC, LOS ANGELES (80-421) (1)

SUBJECT: ARTICLE ENTITLED
"POLICE INTELLIGENCE vs.
PRIVACY RIGHTS" APPEARING
IN LOS ANGELES HERALD EXAMINER
11/12/76 *Los Angeles, Calif.*

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau is the original and one xerox copy of an article titled as above.

In view of the contents of the article, Los Angeles recommends that a letter of appreciation be directed to the author, RONALD REAGAN. Los Angeles indices contain no information that would preclude a letter of appreciation.

If the Bureau concurs, the letter of appreciation should be directed to RONALD REAGAN, 10960 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 812, Los Angeles, California.

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**RONALD REAGAN**

Police Intelligence Vs. Privacy Rights

Some of those who led the charge against CIA, FBI and police intelligence work a few months ago may be having second thoughts.

In late September, on the floor of Congress, a liberal member denounced the terrorist bombing in Washington, D.C. that took the life of a Chilean former diplomat of the deposed Allende regime. Since the victim's politics were well to the left, there was a natural assumption in some quarters that his murderer(s) were of the opposite persuasion; perhaps even agents of DINA, the Chilean secret police.

Other liberal Congressmen joined in demanding that the FBI find the murderers and bring them to justice. There's the rub. On the same day, FBI Director Clarence Kelley was testifying before a Congressional committee that his agency had reduced the number of domestic security investigations from a routine 21,000 or so two years ago to a present grand total of 626.

This was a direct result of pressure from liberal policymakers who seemed determined to render ineffective all the agencies responsible for our safety — for so their hubbaloob over undercover work by these agencies seemed to imply. In its wake, the attorney general of the United States laid down the anti-security guidelines that now restrict the FBI in its work.

Unwarranted prying by government into private lives is something nearly all Americans must be opposed to. But government's principal responsibility, after all, is to protect us from harming one another. At what point do we insist so much on privacy that law enforcement agencies are unable to guard us against today's terrorism? The zealots in this matter seemed willing to throw out the baby with the bathwater.

In recent years there has been a alarming increase in the number of bombings, arson, hijackings and assassinations. Last year there were more than 2,000 bombings; they caused 69 deaths.

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A-8 HERALD EXAMINER
LOS ANGELES, CA

Date: 11/12/76
Edition: Friday Latest
Author:
Editor: Donald Goodenow
Title: POLICE REAGAN VS.
PRIVACY RIGHTS

Character:
or EDITORIAL
Classification: OPINION
Submitting Office: LA-80-421*
Los Angeles
☐ Being Investigated

Ronald Reagan-1590

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In the last five years, 43 policemen have been killed in terrorist violence in the United States. A number of anti-Castro Cubans in Miami have been blown up. A New York bombing was the first in a series of attacks supported

You know, Mr. Speaker, I have been pressured into destroying millions of pieces of intelligence file data on revolutionary groups. The House Internal Security Committee has been abolished. FBI agents who join terrorist groups to learn about their plans have been a major target of the anti-intelligence zealots. A few years ago, however, there was no objection when an FBI agent joined the Ku Klux Klan and identified the murderers of young civil rights activists. Had he been exposed, he would probably have lost his life. The liberals applauded then. Now they use a double standard.

The FBI estimates there are some 15,000 terrorists in about two dozen leftist groups in the U.S. The only effective way of dealing with this kind of guerrilla threat is to infiltrate the groups and learn their plans in advance, just as those FBI agents once infiltrated the Klan.

If they could, I for one, wouldn't feel that my constitutional right of privacy has been endangered.

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November 23, 1976

OUTSIDE SOURCE

Honorable Ronald Reagan
Suite 812
10960 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90024

Dear Mr. Reagan:

I have had the opportunity to read your fine article entitled "Police Intelligence Vs. Privacy Rights," which appeared in the November 12th edition of the "Los Angeles Herald Examiner." I very much appreciate your support of this Bureau's efforts in the internal security field. My associates and I trust our work will continue to merit your confidence.

Sincerely yours,

EX-100 M. Kelley

Clarence M. Kelley
Director

1 - Los Angeles (80-421)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED]

DATE: 1/30/69

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated 9/30/68.

1. CURRENT ACTIVITIES OR EMPLOYMENT

Informant has an interest in [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

2. DATES OF CONTACT

Contacted on a daily basis.

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3. OUTCOME OF CASES NOT COMPLETED

[REDACTED]

4. SUCCINCT SUMMARY OF INFORMATION FURNISHED

On 10/28/68, source advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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LA [REDACTED]

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The sale of the Parvin Dohrmann Company, which owned the Fremont and Aladdin Hotels, Las Vegas, was finalized out of escrow on 1/10/69. At that time, Parvin Dohrmann stock had jumped to about \$75.00 a share and as of 1/24/69, the stock was at about \$88.00 a share. [REDACTED]

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On 10/31/68, source advised that [REDACTED]
has indicated [REDACTED]

On 11/2/68, source advised [REDACTED]

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Subsequently, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] nothing further has been heard to date by
source.

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LA [REDACTED]

On 11/30/68, source advised that [REDACTED]

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On 12/21/68, source advised he had heard [REDACTED]

On 1/2/69, source advised [REDACTED]

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Source mentioned on 1/4/69 that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WALTER ANENBERG [REDACTED] is about to be
appointed United States Ambassador to Great Britian.
Subsequently, this information was made public.

On 1/8/69, source advised that the Friars Club
sent GEORGE JESSEL to see Governor REAGAN about the trouble
the club is having with its liquor license. Subsequently,
source learned that REAGAN reportedly told JESSEL that they
would only get a slap in the wrist and at most, a small fine.

On 1/9/69, source advised that [REDACTED]

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On 1/10/69, source advised that TEDDY LEWIN,
international gambler, had died in New York of a heart attack
on 1/9/69. It is noted that the Assistant U. S. Attorney
had planned on prosecuting LEWIN for perjury charges stemming
from his testimony in the Friars Club case.

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On 1/27/69, source advised that [REDACTED]
has a large amount of stock in Warner Brothers Seven Arts

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Source also learned that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

5. RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that informant be continued.

6. EMOTIONAL STABILITY

There has been no indication of emotional instability, unreliability or the furnishing of false information on the part of the informant.

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 10/19/68

Attached relates to a meeting held 10/18/68 by Regents, University of California, Berkeley, California, at which Governor Ronald Reagan was present. The Governor was struck by unknown student at press conference following above meeting. Bomb threat received regarding Governor's private plane was not Federal violation since it involved private plane. This matter coordinated with General Investigative Division. Inter-Division Information Unit of Department, and Attorney General furnished copies. Secret Service advised.

San Francisco Office furnished pertinent information to Governor's office, military intelligence agencies and Secret Service.

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12:22AM URGENT 10/19/68 JXR
TO DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES AND SACRAMENTO
FROM SAN FRANCISCO (100-55228)

VIA TELETYPE

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ; INFO CONCERNING.

THREAT TO BOMB GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN'S PLANE, OCTOBER EIGHTEEN

Destruction of Aircraft or Motor Vehicles
INSTANT, BOMB, BOMBING MATTER.

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ON OCTOBER SEVENTEEN AND EIGHTEEN INSTANT, REGENTS, UNIVERSITY
OF CALIFORNIA (UC), HELD MEETING UC, SANTA CRUZ. FOLLOWING EVENTS
OCCURRED DURING MEETING ON OCTOBER EIGHTEEN INSTANT. A "PEACEFUL NON-
VIOLENT MARCH" STAGED BY UC STUDENTS FROM STEVENSON-COWELL COLLEGE
AREAS TO THE CROWN COLLEGE COURTYARD WHERE THE REGENTS SESSIONS WERE
CONDUCTED. A VIETNAMESE BORN STUDENT, HO NGUYEN, PRESENTED SEVERAL
PETITIONS TO REGENTS, INCLUDING SUPPORT OF PROPOSED MALCOLM X COLLEGE,
REQUEST FOR SUPPORT OF REGENTS TO BOYCOTT CALIFORNIA TABLE GRAPES AND
RECISSION OF REGENTS EARLIAR ACTION RESTRICTING APPEARANCE OF
BLACK PANTHER PARTY MINISTER OF INFORMATION CLEAVER AT UNIVERSITY
OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY.

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ACTIVE IN DEMONSTRATION WAS RICK TOWNSEND, CHAIRMAN BLACK UNION ALLIANCE, AND A MEXICAN STUDENT JUAN LAST NAME UNKNOWN, WHO VERBALLY HARASSED REGENTS ON GRAPE BOYCOTT AND CALLED THEM "PIGS".

CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN PRESENT THIS MEETING OCTOBER EIGHTEEN INSTANT AND AFTER CONCLUSION HELD PRESS CONFERENCE.

APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED DEMONSTRATORS PRESENT AND INCIDENTS BROKE OUT INVOLVING FIGHTING AND SHOVING. GOVERNOR REAGAN WAS STRUCK ^{BY} ~~UNKNOWN~~

UNKNOWN STUDENT AND IMMEDIATELY STRUCK BACK. GOVERNOR REAGAN WAS HEARD TO SAY "YOU LITTLE SON OF A BITCH". SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF INQUIRED IF HIS "TACTICAL SQUAD" NEEDED AND REAGAN STATED NO, SINCE HE DID NOT DESIRE TO HAVE UNIFORMED OFFICERS PRESENT ON CAMPUS. GOVERNOR'S SECURITY MEN STATED THIS WAS WORST DEMONSTRATION THEY HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN. NO ARRESTS MADE AND GOVERNOR NOT INJURED. NO DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.

CHIEF OF POLICE (COP) SANTWGKRUZ, STATES FOUR LETTER WORDS USED CONSTANTLY BY STUDENT DEMONSTRATORS AGAINST UC REGENTS AND PROFANITY WAS "HORRIBLE".

GOVERNOR IN PRIVATE PLANE DEPARTED SANTA CRUZ FIVE THIRTYNINE PM INSTANT AND AFTER AIRBORNE TELEPHONE CALL RECEIVED SCOTTS VALLEY FIRE DEPARTMENT, LOCATION OF SANTA CRUZ AIRPORT, AND ANONYMOUS CALLER STATED BOMB ON GOVERNOR'S PLANE. ^{FEDERAL AVIATION Agency} ~~FAA~~ OAKLAND AND SALINAS, CALIFORNIA, IMMEDIATELY NOTIFIED AND LOS ANGELES FAA ATTEMPTED TO GET IN CONTACT WITH GOVERNOR'S PLANE SINCE PLANE OUT OF RADIO REACH SANTA CRUZ. COP SANTA CRUZ STATES PLANE HAD POLICE GUARD FOR ENTIRE TIME IN SANTA CRUZ AND FEELS BOMB SCARE IS A HOAX.

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VERNON BOURG, AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTER, FAA OAKLAND, ADVISED⁰
FIVE FORTY-EIGHT PM THAT REAGAN'S PLANE LANDED SAFELY SANTA MONICA
FIVE FORTY-FOUR PM.

MALCOLM X COLLEGE REFERRED TO IS PROPOSED NAME OF BLACK
STUDIES COLLEGE AT UC SANTA CRUZ, WHICH IS BEING PETITIONED FOR BY
BLACK STUDENTS, BUT THUS FAR DENIED.

ADMINISTRATIVE; RE SF TEL CALL THIS DATE.

GOVERNOR REAGAN'S OFFICE, SACRAMENTO, ADVISED. APPROPRIATE
LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT, ONE FIFTEENTH ^{MILITARY INTELLIGENCE} ~~MIG~~ AND SECRET SERVICE NOTI-
FIED. NO SUBVERSIVE INFORMATION SAN FRANCISCO FILES IDENTIFIABLE
WITH RICK TOWNSEND AND HO NGUYEN. LHM FOLLOWS.

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~~NORXXX CORR SACRAMENTO'S NUMBER IS ONE RPT ONE~~

WA...RM FBI WASH DC

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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MESSAGE RELAY

March 16, 1976

Transmit in ☒ Plaintext ☐ Code Via Teletype the Attached ☒ Immediate ☒ Urgent ☐ Nitel Message

From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

To: Legats:

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To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
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RUEBWJA/ ☐ Attorney General ☐ Deputy Attorney General
☐ Attn: Analysis and Evaluation Unit

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division
☐ Attn: Internal Security Section ☐ Attn: General Crimes Section

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RUEBWJA/ ☐ Immigration and Naturalization Service

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(DIRNSA/NSOC (Attn: SOO))

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(Use RUEVDFB if Unclassified)

RUEAIIA/ ☐ Director, CIA

RUEHSE/ ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID)

RUEBJGA/ ☐ Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard

RUEHC/ ☐ Secretary of State

RUEKJCS/ ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency

RUEBJGA/ ☐ Department of Transportation
Attn: Director of Security

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Administration

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RUEAT/ ☐ Department of Treasury
Attn: U. S. Customs

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Attn: Bureau of Alcohol
Tobacco & Firearms

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Subject (Text begins next page):

**UNKNOWN SUBJECT; REPORT OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT
AGAINST PRESIDENT, TO AMERICAN CONSUL, MONTREAL,
EX CANADA.**

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7331

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~~E. O. 11652: GDS~~

~~TAGS: ASEC, CA~~

~~SUBJ: REPORT OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESIDENT~~

~~REF: 75 MONTREAL 1596~~

RE CABLE FROM AMERICAN CONSUL, MONTREAL, CANADA, MARCH 16, 1976.

1. AT APPROXIMATELY 4:20 P.M. WE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM SAME MAN AS IDENTIFIED REFTel. SECRETARY AND ADMIN OFFICER WHO BOTH LISTENED TO MAN BEFORE IDENTIFY HIM AS SAME PERSON.

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\$100,000 CASH TO BE DEPOSITED IN SWISS BANK.

3. SUBJECT KEPT REPEATING HE WAS BEING WATCHED AND WHEN ASKED IF HE COULD BE CALLED BACK HE SAID NO. HE MENTIONED HE WOULD CALL MR. GREEN (ADMIN OFFICER) OR COME INTO OFFICE AND IF NECESSARY WOULD LEAVE MONTREAL, GO TO U.S. AND REPORT TO AN FBI OFFICE. HE ALSO MENTIONED HE WAS RELUCTANT TO DO THIS AS HIS BROTHER WORKED WITH FBI, HAD BEEN IN DALLAS IN 1963 AND THAT HIS BROTHER WAS DISGUSTED WITH THE FBI. SUBJECT SAID HE WAS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

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FBI MAKING INQUIRY RE THIS MATTER THROUGH CANADIAN AUTHORITIES.

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3:15 PM URGENT 3/18/76 BAD
TO DIRECTOR NR 106-18
FROM LEGAT OTTAWA

GERALD R. Ford - Victim
RONALD A. REAGAN - Victim
UNSUB; ASSAULTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

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PERUCAR, MARCH 17, 1976.

CONSULAR OFFICE, MONTREAL, HAS NOW ADVISED THEY FEEL THIS
CASE APPEARS IDENTICAL TO UNSUB [] (LNU) - COMPLAINANT IN CASE
CAPTIONED, UNSUBS (3); AKA [] (LNU); [] (LNU); []
[] OR [] (LNU); [] (LNU) - COMPLAINANT, THREAT AGAINST
THE PRESIDENT. (OTT FILE 175-10). THEY BASE THIS ON SIMILARITY OF
VOICE AND THE ALLUSION IN BOTH CASES TO IRA AND ARMALITE RIFLES.
ALL INFO HAS BEEN FURNISHED TO CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ABROAD WHO WILL
MAKE ATTEMPTS TO IDENTIFY UNSUB. CONTACT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED WITH
RSO JOHN CLEMMONS, AMEMB, OTTAWA, AND LEGAT, OTTAWA WILL BE KEPT
APRISED OF ANY AND ALL DEVELOPMENTS.
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CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ABROAD IS [].

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM SAC, DALLAS (175-56)

GERALD R. FORD - VICTIM

RONALD D. REAGAN - VICTIM

UNSUB; ASSAULTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, ABOVE CAPTION, MARCH 17, 1976.

THROUGH DISCREET CANVASSING OF FBI DALLAS EMPLOYEES WHO WERE ASSIGNED AT DALLAS DURING 1963, THERE ARE NO KNOWN FBI PERSONNEL WHO WERE ASSIGNED AT DALLAS DURING 1963 HAVING A BROTHER WHO IS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

AIRMAIL COPIES TO ALBANY, BOSTON, KANSAS CITY AND SAN FRANCISCO FOR INFORMATION. RUC.

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SUBJECT: THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT FORD

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1. THE MOST RECENT REPORT OF THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
CONTAINED IN MONTREAL 312 HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION
OF LEGATT WHO IN TURN HAS NOTIFIED ☐ Ronald Reagan-1609

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2. THE RSO FEELS THERE IS LITTLE BASIS FOR CONCERN DUE TO
PREVIOUS ENCOUNTER WITH THE SAME CALLER WHO REPORTED A
SIMILAR THREAT ON SEPTEMBER 30, 1975. HOWEVER, ANY FUTURE
CONTACTS FROM THE CALLER OR ANY OTHER DEVELOPMENT WILL BE

REPORTED.

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TO DIRECTOR NR 097-17

FROM LEGAT OTTAWA

GERALD R. FORD

UNSUB; REPORT OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESIDENT.

RE OTTAWA CABLES AUGUST 6, 1975, CAPTIONED "UNSUB; THREAT OF
A BOMBING IN UNSPECIFIED AREA OF UNITED STATES, AUGUST 6, 1975,
EID; EXTORTION.

THE FOLLOWING CABLE WAS RECEIVED MARCH 17, 1976, AT AMERICAN
EMBASSY, OTTAWA, FROM AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL, MONTREAL:

AT APPROXIMATELY 4:20 P.M. (MARCH 16, 1976) WE RECEIVED
TELEPHONE CALL. SECRETARY AND ADMIN OFFICER WHO BOTH LISTENED TO
MAN IDENTIFY HPG AS SAME PERSON WHO CALLED BEFORE (RETELS).

SUBJECT SAID THAT HE HAD BEEN APPROACHED AT CLUB AT CRESCENT
STREET AND A PLOT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT FORD AND REAGAN WAS
REVEALED TO HIM. AN EX-SOLDIER (U.S. ARMED FORCES) WAS TO LOAD A
SMALL PLANE WITH HIGH EXPLOSIVES AND DIVE IT INTO CONVENTION CENTER
AND SUBJECT ALSO MENTIONED A JAPANESE-MADE ARMALITE RIFLE WHICH

WOULD BE USED. THE ASSASSINATION WOULD TAKE PLACE IN SAN FRANCISCO
(SIC) (AUGUST 16 WAS DATE HE MENTIONED) DURING REPUBLICAN NATIONAL
CONVENTION (POST RECOGNIZES CONVENTION IN KANSAS CITY). SUBJECT

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ALSO MENTIONED IRA HAD BEEN APPROACHED REGARDING ASSASSINATION AND OFFERED \$1,000,000 CASH TO BE DEPOSITED IN SWISS BANK.

SUBJECT KEPT REPEATING HE WAS BEING WATCHED AND WHEN ASKED IF HE COULD BE CALLED BACK HE SAID NO. HE MENTIONED HE WOULD CALL MR. GREEN (ADMIN OFFICER) OR COME INTO OFFICE AND IF NECESSARY WOULD LEAVE MONTREAL, GO TO U.S. AND REPORT TO AN FBI OFFICE. HE ALSO MENTIONED HE WAS RELUCTANT TO DO THIS AS HIS BROTHER WORKED WITH FBI, HAD BEEN IN DALLAS IN 1963 AND THAT HIS BROTHER WAS DISGUSTED WITH THE FBI. SUBJECT SAID HE WAS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7331

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TO: SACS, ALBANY

BOSTON

DALLAS

KANSAS CITY

SAN FRANCISCO

LEGAT, OTTAWA

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

UNSUB; ASSAULTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

RE MARCH 16, 1976, CABLE FROM AMERICAN CONSULATE,
MONTREAL, CANADA, WHICH WAS RELAYED TO LEGAT, OTTAWA.

FOR INFORMATION OF ALBANY, BOSTON, KANSAS CITY, SAN
FRANCISCO, AND DALLAS, RE CABLE REPORTED AMERICAN CONSULATE,
MONTREAL, RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL, MARCH 16, 1976, FROM A
MALE WHO DID NOT IDENTIFY HIMSELF, BUT WHO HAS APPARENTLY
CALLED THE CONSULATE IN THE PAST. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN
APPROACHED BY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO REVEALED TO HIM A PLOT TO
ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT FORD AND RONALD REAGAN. THE INDIVIDUAL
SAID A FORMER MEMBER OF THE U.S. ARMED FORCES WAS TO LOAD A
SMALL PLANE WITH HIGH EXPLOSIVES AND DIVE IT INTO THE CONVENTION

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CENTER ON AUGUST 16, 1976, DURING REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION. THE INDIVIDUAL SAID THIS WAS TO TAKE PLACE IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. (IT SHOULD BE NOTED REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION WILL TAKE PLACE IN KANSAS CITY, MISSOURT, BEGINNING AUGUST 16, 1976.) THE INDIVIDUAL ALSO MENTIONED A JAPANESE-MADE ARMALITE RIFLE WOULD BE USED. HE ALSO SAID THE IRISH REPUBLICAN ARMY HAS BEEN APPROACHED REGARDING THIS ASSASSINATION AND OFFERED \$100,000 TO BE DEPOSITED IN A SWISS BANK.

THE CALLER KEPT REPEATING HE WAS BEING WATCHED AND WAS RELUCTANT TO CALL BACK. HE DID SAY HE MIGHT CALL BACK, MIGHT GO TO THE CONSULATE IN PERSON, OR MIGHT GO TO AN FBI OFFICE IN THE STATES. HE SAID HE WAS RELUCTANT TO DO THIS AS HIS BROTHER WORKED WITH THE FBI, HAD BEEN IN DALLAS, TEXAS, IN 1963, AND HIS BROTHER WAS DISGUSTED WITH THE FBI. THE CALLER SAID HE WAS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

LEGAT OTTAWA, THROUGH CONTACTS WITH AMERICAN CONSULATE, MONTREAL, AND OTHER APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES, ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY CALLER. DETERMINE NATURE OF CALLER'S PREVIOUS CONTACTS WITH THE CONSULATE.

ALBANY AND BOSTON BE ALERT FOR ANY CONTACTS BY THE CALLER.

KANSAS CITY AND SAN FRANCISCO NOTIFY APPROPRIATE LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

Ronald Reagan-1616

DALLAS ADVISE OF ANY KNOWN PERSONNEL ASSIGNED THERE IN 1963, HAVING A BROTHER WHO IS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

U.S. SECRET SERVICE HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN ADVISED BY FBIHQ.

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NOTE: Cable of 3/16/76, from American Consulate, Montreal, references an undated 1975 cable from the Consulate concerning calls from the same caller. Based on information available, no record located indicating it was sent to the FBI. Although the information available is of nebulous nature and might better be a Threat Against the President case handled by the U. S. Secret Service, above leads set forth due to possibility of a conspiracy and mention of the caller having a brother with the FBI who is disgusted with the FBI. Coordinated with Supervisor Robert W. Feuer, Intelligence Division - Foreign Liaison Unit.

MESSAGE RELAY

March 16, 1976

Transmit in ☐ Plaintext
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Via Teletype the Attached ☐ Immediate
☒ Urgent
☒ Nitel Message

From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

To: Legats: **OTTAWA**

To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
☐ Attn: ☐ Attn:

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Attorney General ☐ Deputy Attorney General
☐ Attn: Analysis and Evaluation Unit

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division
☐ Attn: Internal Security Section ☐ Attn: General Crimes Section

RUEABND/ ☐ Drug Enforcement Administration

RUEANAT/ ☐ National Aeronautics & Space Adm.

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Immigration and Naturalization Service

RUEOIAA/ ☐ National Security Agency

RUEBWJA/ ☐ U. S. Marshal's Service

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RUEBDUA/ ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)

RUEBARE/ ☐ Naval Investigative Service

RUEACSI/ ☐ Department of the Army

RUEAUSA/ ☐ U. S. Postal Service (if Classified)
(Use RUEVDFB if Unclassified)

RUEAIIA/ ☐ Director, CIA

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RUEBJGA/ ☐ Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard

RUEHSE/ ☐ U. S. Secret Service (PID)

RUEKJCS/ ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency

RUEHC/ ☐ Secretary of State

RHEGGTN/ ☐ Energy Research and Development
Administration

RUEBJGA/ ☐ Department of Transportation
Attn: Director of Security

RUEOGBA/ ☐ Federal Aviation Administration

RUEATRS/ ☐ Department of Treasury

Other than
Listed ☐

☐ Attn: U. S. Customs

☐ Department of Treasury

☐ Attn: Bureau of Alcohol
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Subject (Text begins next page):

**UNSUB; REPORT OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST
PRESIDENT TO AMERICAN CONSUL, MONTREAL, CANADA.**

General R. Ford
Ronald Reagan

Ronald Reagan-1618

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Ronald Reagan 1619

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~~STATE FOR A/SY/EX DIRZOS~~

~~EMBASSY FOR CLEMMONS~~

~~E. O. 11552: GDS~~

~~TAGS: ASEC, CA~~

~~SUBJ: REPORT OF ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST PRESIDENT~~

~~REF: 75 MONTREAL 1506~~

RE CABLE FROM AMERICAN CONSUL, MONTREAL, CANADA, MARCH 16, 1976.

1. AT APPROXIMATELY 4:20 P.M. WE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM SAME MAN AS IDENTIFIED REFTEL. SECRETARY AND ADMIN OFFICER WHO BOTH LISTENED TO MAN BEFORE IDENTIFY HIM AS SAME PERSON.

2. SUBJECT SAID THAT HE HAD BEEN APPROACHED AT CLUB ON CRESCENT STREET AND A PLOT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT FORD AND REAGAN WAS REVEALED TO HIM. AN EX-SOLDIER (U.S. ARMED FORCES) WAS TO LOAD A SMALL PLANE WITH HIGH EXPLOSIVES AND DIVE IT INTO CONVENTION CENTER AND SUBJECT ALSO MENTIONED A JAPANESE-MADE ARMALITE RIFLE WHICH WOULD BE USED. THE ASSASSINATION WOULD TAKE PLACE IN SAN FRANCISCO (SIC) (AUGUST 16 WAS DATE HE MENTIONED) DURING REPUBLIC NATIONAL CONVENTION (POST RECOGNIZES CONVENTION IN KANSAS CITY.) SUBJECT ALSO MENTIONED IRA HAD BEEN APPROACHED REGARDING ASSASSINATION AND OFFERED

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\$100,000 CASH TO BE DEPOSITED IN SWISS BANK.

3. SUBJECT KEPT REPEATING HE WAS BEING WATCHED AND WHEN ASKED IF HE COULD BE CALLED BACK HE SAID NO. HE MENTIONED HE WOULD CALL MR. GREEN (ADMIN OFFICER) OR COME INTO OFFICE AND IF NECESSARY WOULD LEAVE MONTREAL, GO TO U.S. AND REPORT TO AN FBI OFFICE. HE ALSO MENTIONED HE WAS RELUCTANT TO DO THIS AS HIS BROTHER WORKED WITH FBI, HAD BEEN IN DALLAS IN 1963 AND THAT HIS BROTHER WAS DISGUSTED WITH THE FBI. SUBJECT SAID HE WAS A CANADIAN CITIZEN.

~~HARPER~~

ADDENDUM FBIHQ:

LEGAT, OTTAWA, OBTAIN FULL DETAILS FROM AMERICAN CONSUL, MONTREAL, AND CONTACT APPROPRIATE CANADIAN AUTHORITIES FOR ANY INFO THEY MAY HAVE REGARDING THIS MATTER.

END

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CC - [Signature]

FBI

Date: 4/13/76

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, BOSTON (175-135) (RUC)
SUBJECT: UNSUB;
ASSAULTING THE PRESIDENT
OF THE U. S.

CERARD R Ford

Re Bureau teletype to Albany, 3/17/76, and
Dallas teletype to Bureau, 3/19/76.

Referenced Bureau teletype set forth information
regarding anonymous telephone call received by the American
Consulate, Montreal, on 3/16/76, regarding an alleged plot
to assault the President of the U. S.

Boston has alerted all personnel to the potential
of receiving a similar call and no employee of the Boston
office has to date received such a call. Boston is considering
this matter RUC but will in the event of contact by the
caller notify the Bureau and interested offices.

2-Bureau (RM)
1-Albany (Info.) (RM)
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Special Agent in Charge

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3/24/76

TO SAC, PHOENIX (175-NEW)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI

UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN; GOVERNOR STATE
OF ARIZONA RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE, MARCH 23,
1976.

REPXTEL MARCH 24, 1976.

DISCUSS FACTS IN THIS MATTER WITH USA TO DETERMINE
IF POSSIBLE VIOLATION OF TITLE 18, SECTION 245, U. S. CODE
(INTERFERENCE WITH FEDERALLY PROTECTED ACTIVITIES) EXISTS.

SUTEL RESULTS ATTENTION CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION, GENERAL
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, FBIHQ.

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1 - Mr. McDonough

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4:22 PM NITEL MARCH 25, 1976 DNS

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHOENIX (175-NEW) (C) (ONE PAGE)

UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN; GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE, MARCH 23, 1976.

REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE MARCH 24, 1976.

AUSA W. RONALD JENNINGS, PHOENIX, ARIZONA ADVISED THAT AS SUBJECT'S IDENTITY UNKNOWN HE WOULD NOT RECOMMEND ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION EFFORTS. JENNINGS POINTED OUT THAT HE DID NOT BELIEVE THAT THIS MATTER WOULD BE APPLICABLE UNDER TITLE 18, SECTION 245, USC. JENNINGS STATED THAT ANY INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED UNDER TITLE 18, SECTION 245, USC MUST ACCORDING TO HIS HANDBOOK BE AUTHORIZED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

ADMINISTRATIVE: PHOENIX TAKING NO FURTHER ACTION.

END

SLR ACK FOR 006 AND 008 FBIHQ

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To: SAC, Phoenix **REC-36**

1 - Mr. Giaquinto

From: Director, FBI **EX-111** 175-374-2

UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN;
GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA
RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE,
MARCH 23, 1976

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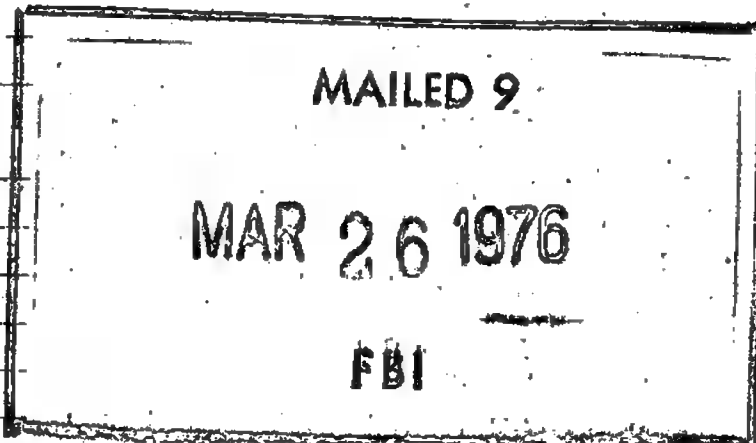
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Phoenix.

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NOTE: This pertains to an anonymous telephone threat against
captioned individuals. USA, PX, advised that in his opinion, T18,
USC, Section 245 not applicable. This requests PX to sulhm in order
to facilitate appropriate dissemination to the Department.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, PHOENIX (175-NEW) (C) (ONE PAGE)

UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REGAN; GOVERNOR STATE OF

ARIZONA RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE MARCH 23, 1976.

THE PHOENIX, ARIZONA OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF

INVESTIGATION WAS ADVISED BY MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

TUCSON, ARIZONA OPERATOR NUMBER 152 THAT AT 10:55 P.M. ON

MARCH 23, 1976 AN UNIDENTIFIED MALE CALLER TOLD HER, "TELL

THE FBI THAT RONALD REGAN AND RAUL CASTRO WILL BE SHOT TONIGHT."

THE CALLER IMMEDIATELY DISCONNECTED.

THIS INFORMATION WAS FURNISHED TO PHOENIX OFFICE OF FBI AT

11:00 P.M. ON MARCH 23, 1976. AT 11:00 P.M. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING

RECEIPT OF ABOVE TELEPHONE CALL, MICHAEL LUDY, U.S. SECRET

SERVICE, PHOENIX: SGT. LARRY BUNTING, TUCSON POLICE DEPARTMENT;

SGT. G. SHERWIN, PHOENIX POLICE DEPARTMENT AND SGT. A. TIGER,

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, PHOENIX WERE ADVISED OF

FOREGOING INFORMATION.

ADMINISTRATIVE: FOR INFORMATION BUREAU PHOENIX IS

21 MAR 25 1976

DISSEMINATING THE FOREGOING INFORMATION LOCALLY AND ANTICIPATES

NO ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION THIS MATTER.

END

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DLS FBIHQ ACK

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Date: 3/31/76

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To: Director, FBI

ATTENTION:

- ☒ GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
☒ CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION
☐ CRIMINAL SECTION
☐ INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

From: SAC, PHOENIX (175-111) (C)

Subject: UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN;
 GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA
 RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE,
 MARCH 23, 1976

ReBuairtel to PX, 3/26/76.

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☐ AP ☐ IWFC ☐ CWAA ☐ FI
☐ EID ☐ Bomb Threats ☐ Extremist Matters
☐ White Hate ☐ Black

Summary of Complaint:

Unsub male telephonically contacted Telephone Company operator 3/23/76 advising RONALD REAGAN and RAUL CASTRO would be shot that evening. U.S. Secret Service and local authorities advised immediately. AUSA Phoenix does not recommend further investigation.

② - Bureau (Encl.-3)
 1 - Phoenix
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INDICES: ☒ Negative ☐ See Summary

ACTION: UACB:

- ☒ No further action being taken and
☒ LHM enclosed
☐ FD-376 (Enc. to LHM)
☐ LHM being submitted
☐ Report being submitted

☒ Copy to: ☒ USA ☒ Phoenix
☐ Secret Service
☐ ATF

- ☐ Preliminary investigation instituted
☐ Limited investigation instituted
☐ Investigation continuing

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Phoenix, Arizona

March 31, 1976

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

UNKNOWN SUBJECT; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE
RONALD REAGAN; GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA
RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE,
MARCH 23, 1976

On March 23, 1976, an employee of the Phoenix Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) was advised by a representative of the Mountain Bell Telephone Company, Tucson, Arizona, that at 10:55 p.m. on this date, an unidentified male caller told Operator Number 152, "Tell the FBI that Ronald Reagan and Raul Castro will be shot tonight." The caller immediately disconnected.

A representative of the FBI, Phoenix, at 11 p.m. this same date, immediately following receipt of this information, advised Special Agent Michael Ludy, U.S. Secret Service, Phoenix; Sergeant Larry Bunting, Tucson, Arizona, Police Department; Sergeant George Sherwin, Phoenix Police Department, and Sergeant A. Ticer, Arizona State Department of Public Safety, of the above information.

On March 26, 1976, the above facts were discussed by a representative of the FBI with Assistant U.S. Attorney (AUSA) W. Ronald Jennings, Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Jennings advised that as subject's identity is unknown and in view of the circumstances of the call, he would not recommend additional investigative efforts. Mr. Jennings pointed out that he did not believe that Title 18, Section 245, United States Code, was applicable to these particular circumstances. He further noted that any investigation conducted under the above section must be authorized by the U.S. Department of Justice.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

Ronald Reagan-1628

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ENCLOSURE

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4/29/76

To: SAC, Phoenix

1 - Mr. Giaquinto

From: Director, FBI

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UNSUB; PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN;
GOVERNOR STATE OF ARIZONA
RAUL CASTRO, THREAT TO ASSASSINATE,
MARCH 23, 1976

ReBuairtel dated 3/26/76.

Respond to reBuairtel within seven days upon receipt of this communication.

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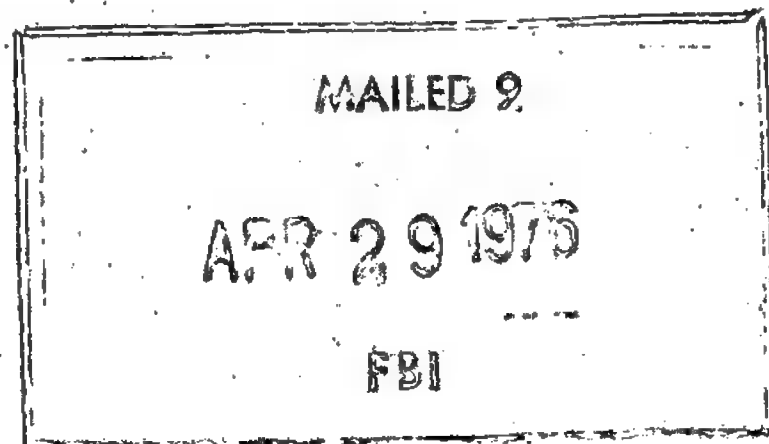
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6:23 NITEL 3/18/76

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

SAN FRANCISCO

FROM SACRAMENTO (175-NEW) (P)

UNKNOWN SUBJECT

A. GUNDB, AKA [REDACTED] (LNU); THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT
FORD AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES RONALD REAGAN AND GEORGE
WALLACE.

FBI SACRAMENTO ADVISES THAT

DOUGLAS V. DUNCAN, AGENT IN CHARGE, U. S. SECRET

SERVICE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED

SACRAMENTO FBI OFFICE LATE MARCH 16, 1976, ADVISING HE

HAD JUST RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM DENNIS W. HARLAN, SA,

U. S. CUSTOMS SERVICE, 681 MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA, WHOSE ^{SOURCE} ~~INFORMANT~~ HAD FURNISHED INFORMATION

^{BOMBING AT U.S. WISCONSIN (1970)}
CONCERNING TOP TEN ~~WISCONSIN~~ SUBJECTS AND REGARDING A POSSIBLE

THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

RONALD REAGAN AND GEORGE WALLACE.

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SA WILLIAM H. SWENSON, SACRAMENTO DIVISION, FBI,
ACCOMPANIED BY GALE DOBSICH, ASAC, AND MAX D. PHILLIPS,
SA, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA OFFICE SECRET SERVICE, ON EVENING
OF MARCH 17, 1974 PROCEEDED TO MODESTO, CALIFORNIA FBI
RESIDENT AGENCY OFFICE AND MET U/ S. CUSTOMS AGENT DENNIS
W. HARLAN AND HARLAN'S ~~INFORMANT~~ ^{SOURCE} [REDACTED] (~~PROTECT~~
~~IDENTITY~~), CHARACTERIZED BY [REDACTED] AS VERY PRODUCTIVE
RELIABLE ~~INFORMANT~~.

^{SOURCE} [REDACTED] ^{BOMBING} VIEWED PHOTOS OF TOP TEN ~~WISDOM~~ FUGITIVES
[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] AS WELL AS
OTHER TOP TEN AND WEATHERMAN FUGITIVES, ADVISING HE HAD NO
REASON TO BELIEVE THAT HE HAS SEEN OR RECEIVED ANY INFORMATION
REGARDING THESE FUGITIVES.

^{SOURCE} [REDACTED] FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. HE,
[REDACTED] FOR SEVERAL YEARS, HAS BEEN RATHER CLOSE FRIENDS
WITH [REDACTED]
CALIFORNIA (BORN [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA

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CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE [REDACTED] FBI NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHO ALLEGEDLY ENGAGED

IN NARCOTICS TRAFFIC, BURGLARIES, ROBBERIES, GUN TRAFFIC,

AND OTHER CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES.

ON FEBRUARY 20, 1976, WHILE AT [REDACTED] RESIDENCE,

SOURCE

[REDACTED] FIRST MET INDIVIDUAL ONLY KNOWN AS [REDACTED] (LAST

NAME UNKNOWN), DESCRIBED AS CAUCASIAN MALE, AGE 27 TO 30,

5'10", 155 POUNDS, DIRTY BROWNISH-BLOND, SHOULDER-LENGTH

HAIR, MUTTON-CHOP SIDEBURNS, SMALL MOUSTACHE, HAIR POSSIBLY

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AND FT. BRAGG, CALIFORNIA (AREA OF COAST NORTH OF SAN
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DENNIS HARLAN AND CLAIMS PREFERS TO WORK THROUGH HARLAN

BUT WOULD CONSIDER DISCREET RELATIONSHIP WITH FBI AND

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

SAN FRANCISCO

FROM SACRAMENTO (175-NEW) (P)

UNSUB, AKA [REDACTED] (LNU); THREAT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT

FORD AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES RONALD REAGAN AND GEORGE

WALLACE.

DOUGLAS V. DUNCAN, AGENT IN CHARGE, U. S. SECRET

SERVICE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED

SACRAMENTO FBI OFFICE LATE MARCH 16, 1976, ADVISING HE

HAD JUST RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM DENNIS W. HARLAN, SA,

U. S. CUSTOMS SERVICE, 681 MARKET STREET, SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA, WHOSE INFORMANT HAD FURNISHED INFORMATION

CONCERNING TOP TEN WISDOM SUBJECTS AND REGARDING A POSSIBLE

THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

RONALD REAGAN AND GEORGE WALLACE.

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SA WILLIAM H. SWENSON, SACRAMENTO DIVISION, FBI,
ACCOMPANIED BY GALE DOBSICH, ASAC, AND MAX D. PHILLIPS,
SA, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA OFFICE SECRET SERVICE, ON EVENING
OF MARCH 17, 1974 PROCEEDED TO MODESTO, CALIFORNIA FBI
RESIDENT AGENCY OFFICE AND MET U/ S. CUSTOMS AGENT DENNIS
W. HARLAN AND HARLAN'S INFORMANT, [REDACTED] (PROTECT
IDENTITY), CHARACTERIZED BY [REDACTED] AS VERY PRODUCTIVE
RELIABLE INFORMANT.

[REDACTED] VIEWED PHOTOS OF TOP TEN WISDOM FUGITIVES
[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] AS WELL AS
OTHER TOP TEN AND WEATHERMAN FUGITIVES, ADVISING HE HAD NO
REASON TO BELIEVE THAT HE HAS SEEN OR RECEIVED ANY INFORMATION
REGARDING THESE FUGITIVES.

[REDACTED] FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. HE
[REDACTED] FOR SEVERAL YEARS, HAS BEEN RATHER CLOSE FRIENDS
WITH [REDACTED]
CALIFORNIA (BORN [REDACTED] CALIFORNIA

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CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE [REDACTED] FBI NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHO ALLEGEDLY ENGAGED
IN NARCOTICS TRAFFIC, BURGLARIES, ROBBERIES, GUN TRAFFIC,
AND OTHER CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES.

ON FEBRUARY 20, 1976, WHILE AT [REDACTED] RESIDENCE,
[REDACTED] FIRST MET INDIVIDUAL ONLY KNOWN AS "[REDACTED]" (LAST
NAME UNKNOWN), DESCRIBED AS CAUCASIAN MALE, AGE 27 TO 30,
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AT VICINITY RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA. DETERMINE IF [REDACTED]
(LNU) KNOWN TO HAVE ANY ASSOCIATION WITH ZAPBOM.

AT VICINITY SAN MATEO, CALIFORNIA. DETERMINE IF
[REDACTED] (LNU) POSSIBLE SUSPECT IN YOUR CASE 174-1341,
"ATTEMPTED BOMBING OF PG&E HIGH VOLTAGE TOWER, FEBRUARY 13,
1976; EID; CO: SF".

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SACRAMENTO. MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] THROUGH
CUSTOMS OFFICER DENNIS HARLAN AND WILL CONSIDER ESTABLISHING
DIRECT CONTACT WITH [REDACTED]. LIAISON MAINTAINED WITH
CUSTOMS AND SECRET SERVICE IN ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE
VALIDITY OF INFORMATION SET FORTH HEREIN, AS WELL AS
IDENTITY, ADDRESS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND ACTIVITIES OF [REDACTED].
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Date 4/16/76

From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

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To: Legats:

To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
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RUEBWJA/ ☐ Attorney General ☐ Deputy Attorney General
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Subject (Text begins next page): DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, ET AL;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT.

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TO : BUREAU
ATLANTA
ALEXANDRIA
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ST. LOUIS
WFO

FROM: KANSAS CITY (175-47) P

~~"CHANGED"~~ DEATH THREAT

~~AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, ETAL; THREAT AGAINST THE
PRESIDENT, CO. KC.~~

TITLE MARKED CHANGED TO REFLECT MIDDLE NAME OF SUBJECT
AS DETERMINED THROUGH INTERVIEW.

RE ST. LOUIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APR. 14, 1976; WFO
NITEI TO BUREAU, APR. 14, 1976, AND JACKSON TELETYPE TO BUREAU,
APR. 14, 1976.

PER REFERENCED ST. LOUIS TELETYPE, PRELIMINARY
INVESTIGATION INSTITUTED. SUBJECT INTERVIEWED AT MISSOURI
STATE PENITENTIARY (MSP), JEFFERSON CITY, MO. THIS DATE AND

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FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT ADMITTING TRANSMITTAL OF
LETTER IN REFERENCED ST. LOUIS TELETYPE. SUBJECT ALLEGES
IS INCARCERATED AT MSP AS A MENTAL PATIENT.

SA D. PORTER, U.S. SECRET SERVICE, KANSAS CITY, MO,
ADVISED A.M., APR. 15, 1976.

USA, KANSAS CITY, MO. TO BE CONSULTED RE PROSECUTIVE
OPINION, APR. 16, 1976.

KANSAS CITY, AT JEFFERSON CITY, MO, INVESTIGATION
CONTINUING AT MSP TO DETERMINE SUBJECT'S MENTAL STABILITY.

~~AIRTEL AND FB SDE'S TO FOLLOW.~~

~~END.~~ *FBI Investigator's Containing.*

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7:30 PM URGENT APRIL 15, 1976 VAN

TO: DIRECTOR
KANSAS CITY
WFO

FROM: ALEXANDRIA (175-39) (RUC)

[REDACTED] DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT
GERALD FORD, BARRY GOLDWATER, AND OTHERS, THREAT AGAINST
THE PRESIDENT, OO: KANSAS CITY.

RE WFO NITEL TO DIRECTOR, APRIL 14, 1976, AND KANSAS
CITY TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, APRIL 15, 1976.

ON APRIL 15, 1976, DETECTIVE SERGEANT ARCHIE HALL,
ALEXANDRIA CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT APPRISED OF DETAILS IN THIS
MATTER.

IT IS NOTED THAT CONGRESSMAN BARRY GOLDWATER, JR. RESIDES
AT 115 QUAY STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

WFO, INSURE THAT OFFICE OF SENATOR BARRY GOLDWATER, SR.
IS NOTIFIED OF DETAILS IN THIS MATTER AND APPROPRIATE LEADS
SET OUT.

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Date: 4/21/76

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (175-163) (C)

UNSUB;
THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENTIAL
CANDIDATE GEORGE WALLACE
APRIL 10, 1976
DEARBORN, MICHIGAN
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Re Detroit teletype, 4/13/76 and Bureau airtel, 4/14/76.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 6 copies of an LHM,
captioned as above. U.S. Secret Service furnished one copy
of LHM.

Inasmuch as no subject has been developed, matter
was not presented to U.S. Attorney. In view of above, Detroit
is conducting no additional investigation.

② - Bureau (Enc. - 6) (RM)
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2 cc: AAG, ~~CRIM D~~ (Sent Crime Section)Date: 4-26-76Via: 0-20(G)By: JTM/dss

NOTE: U.S. Secret Service
has been furnished a
copy of enclosed OE
memorandum dated
4-21-76.

+ 1 cc U.S. Secret Service, 1 cc CR4
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Approved: 55 MAY 11 1976 Special Agent in Charge
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

April 21, 1976

Director
United States Secret Service
Department of the Treasury
Washington, D. C. 20220

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

RE: Unknown Subject; Threat Against
Presidential Candidate George Wallace, April 10, 1976
Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☒ Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. ☐ Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. ☐ Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4. ☐ Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. ☐ Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. ☐ Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
7. ☐ Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.

Photograph ☐ has been furnished ☐ enclosed ☒ is not available.

Very truly yours,


Clarence M. Kelley
Director

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1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s)) 1
U. S. Secret Service, Detroit (RM)

Enclosure(s)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Detroit, Michigan
April 21, 1976

Re: Unknown Subject;
Threat Against Presidential
Candidate George Wallace
April 10, 1976,
Hyatt Regency Hotel
Dearborn, Michigan

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On April 10, 1976, Mr. Richard Johnson, Chief of Security, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Dearborn, Michigan, advised that the General Manager of the Hotel, Mr. Stan Bromley, received an anonymous call on April 10, 1976, at about 1:00 pm, which went as follows:

"Is George Wallace staying there? If so, he is as good as dead." At this point caller hung up on Mr. Bromley.

At 1:30 pm, April 10, 1976, Special Agent Donald L'Huillier, U.S. Secret Service, Detroit, Michigan, was advised of the anonymous call to the Hyatt Regency Hotel by Special Agent Robert W. Meyers, Jr., of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Detroit.

On April 21, 1976, Mr. Stan Bromley, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Dearborn, was interviewed regarding the anonymous call and he advised that the caller sounded like a white male, young, with a southern accent and very intoxicated. Call lasted less than 30 seconds and Mr. Bromley felt, based on his professional experience, that it was a harrassing telephone call.

On April 21, 1976, Special Agent L'Huillier, U.S. Secret Service, Detroit, was advised by Special Agent Robert W. Meyers, Jr., FBI, Detroit, of the interview with Mr. Bromley and that he had no information which would lead to the identification of the caller. Since no information was developed which would lead to the identification of the caller, no additional investigation will be conducted in this matter.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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12:05PM URGENT 4/14/76 KCP

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TELETYPE

TO DIRECTOR

ATLANTA

JACKSON

KANSAS CITY

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM ST. LOUIS (175-NEW) (P)

[REDACTED] DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, GEORGE
WALLACE, BARRY GOLDWATER, LESTER MADDOX, ROSS BARNETT, AND OTHERS;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT; OO KANSAS CITY

ON APRIL 13, 1976, MAJOR ROBERT BROOKS, CHIEF OF CUSTODY,
ST. LOUIS COUNTY JAIL, CLAYTON, MO., ADVISED A LETTER CAPTIONED
"DEATH DOCUMENT" LISTING HIMSELF AND OTHERS WAS RECEIVED BY

CLAUDE WOODSON, A SOCIAL WORKER FOR ST. LOUIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF
WELFARE. THE ENVELOPE POSTMARKED APRIL 9, 1976 SHOWED SENDER
AS [REDACTED] JEFFERSON CITY, MO., 65101.
THE ENVELOPE WAS ADDRESSED TO GUARD CLAUDE WOODSON, ST. LOUIS
COUNTY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTE, HIGHWAY 40, CHESTERFIELD, MO.

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ST. LOUIS INDICES NEGATIVE RE [REDACTED]

ORIGINAL LETTER AND ENVELOPE TURNED OVER TO AGENT BILL
NOONAN, U. S. SECRET SERVICE, ST. LOUIS, MO., AT 9:50 AM, APRIL
14, 1976.

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ONE COPY SENT VIA TELECOPIER TO KANSAS CITY FOR INTERVIEW
OF SUBJECT.

BUREAU ADVISE U. S. SECRET SERVICE TO ADVISE WHITE HOUSE
AND HEADQUARTERS OF WALLACE.

ATLANTA DIVISION, ADVISE MADDOX.

JACKSON DIVISION, ADVISE BARNETT.

ST. LOUIS WILL INTERVIEW WOODSON AND FORWARD RESULTS TO
KANSAS CITY.

END

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MESSAGE RELAY

Transmit in ☒ Plaintext
☐ Code

Via Teletype the Attached ☐ Immediate
☐ Urgent Message
☒ Nitel

Date 4/14/76

From: Director, FBI

To: SACs:

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To: Legats:

To: RUEADWW/ ☐ The President ☐ The Vice President ☐ White House Situation Room
☐ Attn: ☐ Attn:

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Attorney General ☐ Deputy Attorney General
☐ Attn: Analysis and Evaluation Unit

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division
☐ Attn: Internal Security Section ☐ Attn: General Crimes Section

RUEABND/ ☐ Drug Enforcement Administration RUEANAT/ ☐ National Aeronautics & Space, Adm.

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Immigration and Naturalization Service RUEOIAA/ ☐ National Security Agency
(DIRNSA/NSOC (Attn: SOO))

RUEBWJA/ ☐ U. S. Marshal's ServiceRUEBDUA/ ☐ Department of the Air Force (AFOSI)RUEBARE/ ☐ Naval Investigative ServiceRUEACSI/ ☐ Department of the Army

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RUEAIIA/ ☐ Director, CIARUEHSE/ ☒ U. S. Secret Service (PID)RUEBJGA/ ☒ Commandant, U. S. Coast GuardRUEHC/ ☐ Secretary of StateRUEKJCS/ ☐ Director, Defense Intelligence Agency

RUEBJGA/ ☐ Department of Transportation
Attn: Director of Security

RHEGGTN/ ☐ Energy Research and Development AdministrationRUEATRS/ ☐ Department of TreasuryRUEOGBA/ ☐ Federal Aviation Administration☐ Attn: U. S. Customs

Other than ☐
Listed ☐

☐ Department of Treasury☐ Attn: Bureau of Alcohol

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TELETYPE

Subject (Text begins next page):

DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD RORD, GEORGE WALLACE,
BARRY GOLDWATER, LESTER MADDOX, ROSS BARNETT, AND OTHERS;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT.

Foreign Liaison Unit

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TELETYPE

NR001 SL PLAIN

12:05PM URGENT 4/14/76 KCP

TO DIRECTOR

ATLANTA

JACKSON

KANSAS CITY

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM ST. LOUIS (175-NEW) (P)

[REDACTED] DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, GEORGE WALLACE, BARRY GOLDWATER, LESTER MADDOX, ROSS BARNETT, AND OTHERS. THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, OO KANSAS CITY

ON 4/14/76, FBI ST LOUIS ADVISED THAT:

ON APRIL 13, 1976, MAJOR ROBERT BROOKS, CHIEF OF CUSTODY,

ST. LOUIS COUNTY JAIL, CLAYTON, MO., ADVISED A LETTER CAPTIONED

"DEATH DOCUMENT" LISTING HIMSELF AND OTHERS WAS RECEIVED BY

CLAUDE WOODSON, A SOCIAL WORKER FOR ST. LOUIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF

WELFARE. THE ENVELOPE POSTMARKED APRIL 9, 1976 SHOWED SENDER

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FBI INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

~~ADMINISTRATIVE~~

~~ST. LOUIS INDICES NEGATIVE RE [REDACTED]~~

~~ORIGINAL LETTER AND ENVELOPE TURNED OVER TO AGENT BILL
NOONAN, U. S. SECRET SERVICE, ST. LOUIS, MO., AT 9:50 AM, APRIL
14, 1976.~~

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TELETYPE

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12:45PM NITEL APRIL 14, 1976 ALM

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND
SACS, ALEXANDRIA;

KANSAS CITY; AND ST. LOUIS

FROM: SAC, WFO (175-NEW)

[REDACTED] DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,
GEORGE WALLACE, BARRY GOLDWATER, LESTER MADDOX, ROSS BARNETT,
AND OTHERS; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT. 00:KC.

RE ST. LOUIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU APRIL 14, 1976.

COPY OF REFERENCED TELETYPE BEING FACSIMILED TO
ALEXANDRIA.

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WERE ADVISED OF THE INFORMA-
TION CONTAINED IN THE REFERENCED TELETYPE ON APRIL 14, 1976:

DETECTIVE C. FREEMAN, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
(MPD), INTELLIGENCE; LIEUTENANT ROY BELL, UNITED STATES
CAPITOL POLICE (USCP), INTELLIGENCE; SPECIAL AGENT (SA)
TOM GRANT, UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE (USSS), WFO; JANE
HAVLICEK - CONGRESSMAN GOLDWATER'S OFFICE.

JANE HAVLICEK ADVISED CONGRESSMAN GOLDWATER RESIDES
AT 115 QUAY STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. HAVLICEK FURNISHED APR 27 1976

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F. J. King

S. J. King

C. J. King

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S. J. King

W. J. King

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THIS INFORMATION ON A CONFIDENTIAL BASIS.

ALEXANDRIA WILL NOTIFY APPROPRIATE LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

END.

Ronald Reagan-1660

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TELETYPE

NR 001 JN PLAIN

3:50PM URGENT 4-14-76 CKT

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

KANSAS CITY

FROM JACKSON (175-NEW) (RUC) (1P)

[REDACTED] DEATH THREAT AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD,
GEORGE WALLACE, BARRY GOLDWATER, LESTER MADDOX, ROSS BARNETT,
AND OTHERS. THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT. OO: KANSAS CITY.

INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THE THREAT AGAINST ROSS
BARNETT AND CAPTIONED INDIVIDUALS WAS DISSEMINATED TO THE
FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL ON APRIL 14, 1976:

12:55 PM, ACTING SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE ALFRED S.
WINDHAM, SECRET SERVICE, JACKSON, MISS.;

1:00 PM, AUSA JAMES B. TUCKER, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISS.,
JACKSON;

1:08 PM, DETECTIVE FRANK BLAKENEY, INTELLIGENCE UNIT,
JACKSON POLICE DEPARTMENT;

1:08 PM, MR. ROSS BARNETT, JACKSON, MISS.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE ST. LOUIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL 14, 1976.

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TO : BUREAU
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FROM: KANSAS CITY (175-47) P

"CHANGED", [REDACTED]; DEATH THREAT

AGAINST PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, ETAL; THREAT AGAINST THE

PRESIDENT, OO: KC.

TITLE MARKED CHANGED TO REFLECT MIDDLE NAME OF SUBJECT
AS DETERMINED THROUGH INTERVIEW.

RE ST. LOUIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APR. 14, 1976; WFO
NITEL TO BUREAU, APR. 14, 1976, AND JACKSON TELETYPE TO BUREAU,
APR. 14, 1976.

PER REFERENCED ST. LOUIS TELETYPE, PRELIMINARY
INVESTIGATION INSTITUTED. SUBJECT INTERVIEWED AT MISSOURI
STATE PENITENTIARY (MSP), JEFFERSON CITY, MO. THIS DATE AND

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FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT ADMITTING TRANSMITTAL OF
LETTER IN REFERENCED ST. LOUIS TELETYPE. SUBJECT ALLEGES
IS INCARCERATED AT MSP AS A MENTAL PATIENT.

SA D. PORTER, U.S. SECRET SERVICE, KANSAS CITY, MO,
ADVISED A.M., APR. 15, 1976.

USA, KANSAS CITY, MO. TO BE CONSULTED RE PROSECUTIVE
OPINION, APR. 16, 1976.

KANSAS CITY, AT JEFFERSON CITY, MO, INVESTIGATION
CONTINUING AT MSP TO DETERMINE SUBJECT'S MENTAL STABILITY.

AIRTEL AND FD-302'S TO FOLLOW.

END.

FCD FBIHQ

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, WFO ^{NB/r} (175-202) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

DATE: 5/10/76

Death Threat Against
President Gerald Ford,
Et Al.;
THREAT AGAINST THE
PRESIDENT
(OO:KC)

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ReWFO nitel to the Bureau, 4/14/76, KC teletype
to the Bureau, 4/15/76.

KATHY CARROLL, Press Secretary, Senator BARRY
GOLDWATER, SR.'s Office, Washington, D.C. (WDC), was advised
of the threat contained in the original letter from
regarding BARRY GOLDWATER. It should be noted BARRY GOLDWATER,
SR. resides in WDC.

In view of the fact no further investigation
remains for WFO, this case is being placed in an RUC status.

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1-WFO

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REPORTING OFFICE KANSAS CITY	OFFICE OF ORIGIN KANSAS CITY	DATE 5/3/76	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 4/14-16/76
TITLE OF CASE <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 200px; height: 20px; display: inline-block;"></div> <i>6, 7, 11</i>		REPORT MADE BY SA KENNETH O. BOOTH	TYPED BY cd
		CHARACTER OF CASE THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT <i>Angel</i> <i>6-4, 11, 12</i> <i>13</i>	

REFERENCES: St. Louis teletype to Bureau, 4/14/76.
 Alexandria teletype to Bureau, 4/15/76.
 WFO teletype to Bureau, 4/14/76.
 Jackson teletype to Bureau, 4/14/76.
 St. Louis teletype to Kansas City, 4/16/76 (IO).
 Atlanta airtel to St. Louis, 4/15/76 (IO).
 St. Louis airtel to Kansas City, 4/16/76 (IO).
 St. Louis letter to Kansas City, 4/27/76 (IO).
 Kansas City letter to St. Louis, 4/29/76 (IO).

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							PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

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 SPECIAL AGENT
 IN CHARGE

COPIES MADE:
 3 - Bureau
 1 - USA, Kansas City, MO.
 1 - Alexandria (175-39) (INFO)
 1 - Atlanta (175-90) (INFO)
 1 - Jackson (INFO)
 1 - St. Louis (175-84) (INFO)
 1 - WFO (INFO)
 3 - Kansas City (175-47)

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KANSAS CITY

AT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

Follow and report prosecutive opinion of
U.S. Attorney, Kansas City, Missouri, Western District
of Missouri.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Original "Death Document 76" letter
released to the custody of Agent BILL NOONAN, U.S.
Secret Service, St. Louis, Missouri, on 4/14/76 by
the St. Louis Division.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U.S. Attorney, Kansas City, Missouri

Report of: SA KENNETH O. BOOTH
Date: 5/3/76

Office: KANSAS CITY

Field Office File #: KC 175-47

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Title:

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Character: THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

Synopsis:

[REDACTED] incarcerated at the Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP), Jefferson City, Missouri, on or about 4/9/76, sent a letter, captioned "DEATH DOCUMENT 76", to CLAUDE WOODSON, a former correctional officer, St. Louis County Correctional Institute, St. Louis, Missouri. Contents of the letter set forth, context threatening the life of GERALD FORD, President of the United States, and other individuals, to include U.S. Presidential candidates. Appropriate personnel advised of letter. [REDACTED] interviewed and admits writing letter. Record of MSP reflect [REDACTED] to have history of mental disorder. CLAUDE WOODSON interviewed. FBI Identification Record for [REDACTED] attached. AUSA, WDMO, Kansas City, Missouri, withholding prosecutive opinion in this matter pending review of facts.

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DETAILS

Investigation in this matter was predicated upon receipt of information from the St. Louis Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on April 14, 1976, advising that CLAUDE WOODSON, former correctional officer of the St. Louis County Correctional Institute, St. Louis, Missouri, received a letter from [REDACTED] an inmate at the Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP), Jefferson City, Missouri. The letter captioned "DEATH DOCUMENT 76" is as follows:

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"DEATH DOCUMENT 76"

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The above letter was written in pencil on MSP form M-305 and postmarked April 9, 1976.

By communication dated April 14, 1976, from the St. Louis Office of the FBI, the following individuals were apprised of the "DEATH DOCUMENT 76".

Agent BILL NOONAN, U.S. Secret Service,
St. Louis, Missouri;

Detective/Sergeant CLARENCE HARMON, St.
Louis City Police Department;

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THERESA MILLER, St. Louis County Police
Department;

DAVID HARLAN, Assistant U.S. Attorney,
Eastern District of Missouri, St. Louis, Missouri, and
deferred prosecution to the Western District of Missouri.

By communication dated April 15, 1976, from
the Alexandria Office of the FBI, the following
individual was apprised of the "DEATH DOCUMENT 76":

Detective Sergeant ARCHIE HALL, Alexandria
City Police Department, Alexandria, Virginia.

By communication dated April 14, 1976 from
the Washington Field Office of the FBI, the following
individuals were apposed of the "DEATH DOCUMENT 76":

Detective C. FREEMAN, Metropolitan Police
Department, Washington, D.C.;

Lieutenant ROY BELL, U.S. Capitol Police,
Washington, D.C.;

Special Agent TOM GRANT, U.S. Secret Service,
Washington, D.C.;

JANE HAVLICEK, Congressman GOLDWATER's office,
Washington, D.C.

By communication dated April 14, 1976 from
the Jackson Office of the FBI, the following individuals
were apprised of the "DEATH DOCUMENT 76":

Acting Special Agent in Charge ALFRED S.
WINDHAM, U.S. Secret Service, Jackson, Mississippi;

Assistant U.S. Attorney JAMES B. TUCKER,
Southern District of Mississippi, Jackson, Mississippi;

Detective FRANK BLAKENEY, Jackson, Mississippi
Police Department;

Mr. ROSS BARNETT, Jackson, Mississippi.

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By communication dated April 15, 1976 from the Atlanta Office of the FBI, the following individual was apprised of the "DEATH DOCUMENT 76":

LESTER MADDOX, Atlanta, Georgia.

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Date of transcription 4/16/76

[redacted] Inmate, Missouri State Penitentiary, Inmate Number [redacted] was contacted at his place of incarceration regarding a letter postmarked April 9, 1976, addressed to CLAUDE WOODSON. [redacted] furnished the following information relating to this letter in the form of a signed statement. The statement is as follows:

"Jefferson City, Mo.
4/15/76

"I, [redacted], hereby make the following free and voluntary statement to Kenneth O. Booth who has identified himself to me as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. No force, threats, or promises have been made to me to obtain this statement. I have been advised by SA Booth that I do not have to make a statement and that any statement made may be used against me in a court of law. SA Booth also advised me of my right to talk to a lawyer or anyone else before making any statement. He advised me that if I cannot afford to hire a lawyer the judge will appoint one for me.

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"I am 31 years of age. I was born [redacted] [redacted]. I am now incarcerated at the Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Missouri, inmate number [redacted]. I have completed the tenth grade of high school and I can read, write, and understand the English language.

"Sometime in April, 1976, possibly on or about April 9, 1976, I sent a letter to Claude Woodson, a guard at the St. Louis County Correctional Institute (SLCCI). I did not know if Woodson was still employed at that institution. I sent the letter to Woodson, hoping that he would send me some money and also to let him know that I was incarcerated. At the time I sent the letter, I had had no medication and I am a mental patient incarcerated at the Missouri State Penitentiary.

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by SA KENNETH O. BOOTH - ed Date dictated 4/16/76

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"The letter I wrote to Woodson, on or about April 9, 1976, contained numerous names, to include Gerald Ford and George Wallace, but I had no intention of threatening the life or welfare of the individuals in the letter. I do not have any way to harm these individuals.

"I wrote this letter to Woodson as I felt I needed help and hoped that Woodson would respond to the letter. I addressed the letter to Woodson because I knew him better than any other guard while I was incarcerated at SLCCI and also because he was black. I felt he would understand the letter and my needs and help me.

"There is no one else involved with me in the writing of the letter I sent to Woodson, on or about April 9, 1976.

"I have read this statement containing this and two additional pages and have initial each page. I now sign this statement. Because it is true and correct.

"/s/ [redacted]
April 15, 1976
Jefferson City, Missouri

"Witness:

"/s/ Kenneth O. Booth, SA, FBI, Kansas City, Missouri, 4/16/76".

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The following description of [redacted] was obtained through observation and interview:

<u>Name</u>	[redacted]
<u>Race</u>	Negro
<u>Sex</u>	Male
<u>DOB</u>	[redacted]
<u>POB</u>	Parma, Missouri
<u>Height</u>	5'6"
<u>Weight</u>	130 pounds
<u>Hair</u>	Black
<u>Eyes</u>	Brown

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Scars

Approximately 1" scar, outer
upper left arm

SSAN

Education

Completed the 10th grade of
high school

Marital Status

Single

Military Service

None

Relatives

Parents:

Father - Unknown

Mother -

St. Louis, Missouri.

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On April 16, 1976, BILL M. ARMONTROUT, Associate Warden, Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP), Jefferson City, Missouri, advised that records of the MSP reflect that [REDACTED], inmate MSP, inmate number [REDACTED] was returned to MSP on December 2, 1975 subsequent to being discharged from the Missouri State Hospital Facilities, Fulton, Missouri. Warden ARMONTROUT further advised that MSP records for [REDACTED] reflect that [REDACTED] has been diagnosed as schizo-effective schizophrenia, in remission and anti-social personality disorder. He further added that [REDACTED] is currently on medication.

Ronald Reagan-1674

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription April 16, 1976

CLAUDE WOODSON, Social Worker, County Department of Welfare (St. Louis County Jail), Clayton, Missouri, home address 1230 Central Parkway, Florissant, Missouri, 63031, telephone 837-6224, was interviewed at the St. Louis County Jail and furnished the following information:

He received the letter threatening the life of President FORD and others on April 14, 1976, through their internal mail system. The letter was addressed to him at the St. Louis County Correctional Facility located near Gumbo, Missouri, where he was previously employed as a guard and the letter was postmarked April 9, 1976.

When he initially picked up the letter from his box at the office where he works, he had no idea as to who it was from but after thinking for awhile about the name on the envelope, he recalled a [redacted] who was a former inmate of the correctional facility at Gumbo and whose behavior, as he remembers it, was quite bizarre. [redacted] he recalls, claimed to see space ships, rockets, and talked about God and Allah and he claimed to be of the Muslim faith.

He would frequently listen to [redacted] talking about these things and felt that he had befriended [redacted] or at least got a little close to him in an effort to help straighten [redacted] out. He believes that [redacted] had some psychiatric care either at the State Hospital in Fulton or at another State Hospital in Missouri.

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He did not remember [redacted] as being aggressive or ever threatening anyone but recalls that [redacted] claimed to have seen people from outer space and had allegedly met someone with a lot of power. He would recall an instance where [redacted] said "a lot of people gotta go" and he believes that [redacted] meant by this that they had to die and he did remember BARRY GOLDWATER's name being mentioned on one occasion.

The correctional facility at Gumbo had to have

Interviewed on 4/15/76 at Clayton, Missouri File # SL 175-84

by SA RUSSEL JAY NIELSEN :Pdn Date dictated 4/16/76

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[redacted] in their treatment room several times and on occasion he would strip naked and give the impression that he believed he was with some militant or extremist group and thereafter throw urine on people.

[redacted] also mentioned something about overthrowing the government; however, he could not recall any specifics in regards to this.

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Mr. WOODSON stated that he could think of nothing further in regards to [redacted] and believed that the above incarceration took place after he first became employed at the correctional facility at Gumbo, which was in 1971.

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On April 16, 1976, Assistant U.S. Attorney PAUL ANTHONY WHITE, Western District of Missouri, Kansas City, Missouri, advised he would withhold a prosecutive opinion in this matter, pending a thorough review of the facts pertaining to same.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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TITLE OF CASE <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>		REPORT MADE BY SA KENNETH O. BOOTH	TYPED BY CO
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MR REFERENCES: Kansas City report of SA KENNETH O. BOOTH, 5/3/76.

WFO letter to the Bureau, 5/10/76.

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							PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

APPROVED *[Signature]* SPECIAL AGENT
IN CHARGE

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1 - U.S. Attorney, Kansas City, Missouri

Report of: SA KENNETH O. BOOTH
Date: 6/7/76

Office: KANSAS CITY

Field Office File #: KC 175-47

Bureau File #:

Title:

Character: THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

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Synopsis:

KATHY CARROLL, Press Secretary to Senator BARRY GOLDWATER, SR., apprised of the "Death Document 76" letter. AUSA, WDMO, Kansas City, MO. declined prosecution in this matter. Warden, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Missouri, apprised of declination.

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DETAILS

By communication dated May 10, 1976, from the Washington Field Office of the FBI, KATHY CARROLL, Press Secretary, Senator BARRY GOLDWATER, SR.'s Office, Washington, D.C., was advised of the threat contained in the original letter from regarding BARRY GOLDWATER.

By letter dated May 26, 1976, from the Office of the United States Attorney, Western District of Missouri, Kansas City, Missouri, Assistant U.S. Attorney KENNETH JOSEPHSON advised he would decline prosecution in this matter because of inability to carry out his threat as he is a prisoner at the Missouri State Penitentiary, and due to his extensive history of severe mental problems. Mr. JOSEPHSON suggested that threat be brought to the attention of the prison authorities for the action they deem proper.

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On June 1, 1976, Warden DONALD WYRICK, Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Missouri, was apprised of the declination of [REDACTED] by the U.S. Attorney's Office.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/17/76

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (175-79) (C)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka

[REDACTED] (LNU); 2

THREAT TO ASSASSINATE
PRESIDENT FORD AND
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES
RONALD REAGAN AND
GEORGE WALLACE

RESIDENT GERALD FORD

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Re Sacramento nitel 3/18/76 and Sacramento letter
6/9/76 changing origin to San Francisco.

This matter was opened on information from a Customs
informant who had advised that through visits with one
[REDACTED] of Modesto, Calif., he had learned that
[REDACTED] talked of assassinating President FORD and Presidential
candidates REAGAN and WALLACE. Informant was also allegedly
in possession of information concerning WISBOM fugitives, as
well as other Top 10 and Weatherman fugitives, advising he
had no reason to believe that he had seen or received any
information regarding these fugitives.

All investigation in this matter has been handled
by the U. S. Secret Service.

On 6/16/76 KENT BARNES, U. S. Secret Service Agent,
San Francisco, advised that the above-captioned matter is
assigned to him, but he has been unable to contact the original
informant for some time inasmuch as he is presently residing
or working in the Eastern part of the country for U. S. Customs.

On 7/8/76 the Buffalo Division, in connection with the
matter "Unsubs (25), aka 'SDI'; EID; OO: SF; [REDACTED]
FUGITIVE; UFAC, OO: SC", reported that the Customs source in
this matter had been interviewed on 7/8/76 by FBI Agents and
Secret Service Agents. The source advised that he believed
that [REDACTED] is the individual known to him as [REDACTED] (LNU) who
was heard to threaten the President in 3/76 at the residence of

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2-San Francisco
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[redacted] Source claimed that he telephonically spoke with [redacted] in Modesto some two weeks ago from [redacted] at which time [redacted] told him he was leaving shortly to visit [redacted], who was then residing [redacted]

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On 7/23/76, Secret Service Agent KENT BARNES advised that he had personally interviewed [redacted] in Modesto, Calif., and [redacted] claimed that he had never been away from the Modesto area over the July 4th weekend and has never been to Joplin, Missouri. He also disclaimed trips to Napa County except for quick trips to purchase wine. He also claimed that he had never been in the Mendocino or Fort Bragg area of Northern California and did not know anyone using the first name of [redacted] or a [redacted]. [redacted] claims that he is a self-employed [redacted] and works mostly by himself from home. The Secret Service Agent stated that [redacted] appeared to be truthful in all questioning put to him and noted that [redacted] 1953 International pick-up truck was parked at the residence.

On 9/3/76, Secret Service Agent KENT BARNES advised that the U. S. Customs source in this matter had again been recontacted in an Eastern state by the U. S. Secret Service agency but had been unable to furnish any further pertinent information and the investigation was considered closed in the U. S. Secret Service office at San Francisco.

Inasmuch as all investigation in this matter has been conducted by Secret Service, no LHM is being submitted and this matter is being considered closed.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Assistant Attorney General
CRIMINAL DIVISION
GENERAL CRIMES SECTION
 FROM : Director, FBI

DATE: 6/4/76

ATTENTION: James S. Reynolds

SUBJECT:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT; ALSO KNOWN AS
ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL THREATENING THE LIFE
OF PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE RONALD REAGAN,
RECEIVED WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC)
JUNE 3, 1976
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

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Reference is made to _____ memorandum dated _____
 (your file _____).

DATE 4/16/96 BY SSA9803 (DPA) 405,193

There is enclosed one copy of the report of Special Agent a teletype
 dated June 3, 1976 at Washington, D. C.

A. ☐ This covers the preliminary investigation and no further action concerning a full investigation will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

B. ☐ The investigation is continuing and you will be furnished copies of reports as they are received.

C. ☐ The investigation requested by you has now been completed. Unless advised to the contrary no further inquiries will be made by this Bureau.

D. ☐ Pursuant to instructions issued by the Department, no investigation will be conducted in this matter unless specifically directed by the Department.

E. ☐ Please advise whether you desire any further investigation.

F. ☐ This is submitted for your information and you will be advised of further developments.

G. ☒ This is submitted for your information and no further investigation will be conducted unless specifically requested by the Department.

H. ☐ This covers the receipt of a complaint and no further action will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

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NOTE: Enclosed is a copy of Washington Field Office's teletype dated 6/3/76. United States Secret Service Headquarters have been furnished a copy of this teletype.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND

SACS, LOS ANGELES;

SACRAMENTO;

SAN DIEGO; AND

SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SAC, WFO (175-212) (RUC)

UNSUB; AKA, ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL THREATENING THE LIFE
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OF THIS STATEMENT WAS MADE BY THE UNSUB.

UNSUB ADMITTED HE WAS CALLING FROM LOS ANGELES, CALI-
FORNIA.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

ALL CALIFORNIA OFFICES NOTIFIED DUE TO THE FACT THAT REAGAN WILL BE CAMPAIGNING IN CALIFORNIA IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES NOTIFIED REGARDING ABOVE:

STEVE ADAMS, US SECRET SERVICE (USSS), WFO, WDC, 2:15 P.M., JUNE 3, 1976.

SERGEANT KEN DRUMMOND, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), INTELLIGENCE, WDC, 2:25 P.M., JUNE 3, 1976.

SPECIAL AGENT (SA) JOHN W. HODGES, FBI, WFO, WDC, RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL 12:57 P.M., JUNE 3, 1976.

LEADS. ALL OFFICES WILL NOTIFY APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES REGARDING ABOVE.

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT USSS ASSUMES JURISDICTION IN THESE MATTERS, AND WFO HAS NOTIFIED APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES, WFO CONDUCTING NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION, UACB.

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Date 6/3/76

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☐ Attn Analysis and Evaluation Unit

RUEBWJA/ ☐ Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division

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TO: ~~DIRECTOR, FBI AND~~

~~SACS, LOS ANGELES; SACRAMENTO;~~

~~SAN DIEGO; AND SAN FRANCISCO~~

FROM: ~~SAC, WFO (175-212) (RUC)~~

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To SACs

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11:00 AM URGENT JULY 17, 1976 DMS

TO DIRECTOR

FROM PHILADELPHIA (175-0) (P)

[REDACTED] THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

ON JULY 17, 1976, FBI, PHILADELPHIA ADVISED:
AT 9:45 A.M., JULY 17, 1976, [REDACTED] OF

THE DAUPHIN COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS INTERVENTION, 2-4
NORTH SECOND STREET, HARRISBURG, PA., ADVISED HIS OFFICE HAD
BEEN CONTACTED BY [REDACTED] A BLACK MALE, AGE 23,
WHO RESIDES AT AN UNKNOWN ADDRESS ON [REDACTED] HARRISBURG,
PA., AND HAS TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] IN HIS CALLS TO
THE CRISIS CENTER ON FOUR OCCASIONS HAS INDICATED EVIDENCE OF
PARANOIA. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] IN HIS TELEPHONE CALLS HE HAS SPOKEN
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JOHN WILKES BOOTH AND OTHER MASS MURDERERS. WHITING INDICATES
HE HATES POLITICIANS AND IS FASCINATED BY THE CAREER OF
ASSASSINS. [REDACTED] HAS BEEN A FORMER PATIENT IN THE STATE
HOSPITAL AT HARRISBURG, PA., AND HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY AN
UNKNOWN CASE WORKER AS HAVING THE POTENTIAL TO ACT OUT VIOLENTLY
ALTHOUGH HE HAS NO KNOWN HISTORY OF VIOLENCE.

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IN HIS CONVERSATIONS TO THE CRISIS INTERVENTION CENTER [REDACTED]
INDICATED HE HAS BEEN THINKING ABOUT WAYS OF KILLING PRESIDENT
FORD, PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE JIMMY CARTER AND THAT HE HAS
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REAGAN WHEN REAGAN WAS IN HIS ROOM IN HARRISBURG, PA. ACCORDING
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OF FEDERAL AUTHORITIES. SPECIAL AGENT RICHARD WAGNER, U.S.
SECRET SERVICE, PHILADELPHIA, PA., WAS ADVISED OF THE ABOVE
INFORMATION AT 9:55 A.M., THIS DATE, BY SPECIAL AGENT EDWARD
A. SMITH. ^{FBI} PHILADELPHIA INDICES CONTAINED NO IDENTIFIABLE
INFORMATION ON [REDACTED]

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If any information is developed
indicating a possible violation
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11:00 AM URGENT JULY 17, 1976 DMS

TO DIRECTOR

FROM PHILADELPHIA (175-0) (P)

[REDACTED]; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

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SA Thomas [REDACTED]
USSS Hqs [REDACTED] DC.
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (175-100)(SQ9)(C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED];
THREAT TO KILL JIMMY CARTER,
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR PRESIDENTb6
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On 7/26/76, CHARLES MARASS, Special Agent, U.S. Secret Service, Gettysburg, Pa., advised captioned individual had made several telephone calls to the Dauphin Mental Health Crisis Center in Harrisburg, Pa., at which times, he threatened to kill JIMMY CARTER. During the conversations, subject discussed different varieties of weapons he might use to kill CARTER. He further advised, on one occasion, that he should have blown up RONALD REAGAN when he was in Harrisburg during the primary campaign. MARASS stated he interviewed [REDACTED], who resides with his mother at [REDACTED] in Harrisburg, Pa., at which time, he denied making any threats whatsoever against CARTER or anyone else, but did admit that he was mad at certain of CARTER's proposed programs. [REDACTED] also advised he definitely was not inclined to hurt anyone in this regard. MARASS stated he is inclined to believe [REDACTED] is prone to periodic fits of depression, at which time, he makes statements for which he is later sorry. He stated he is not inclined to investigate this matter further and considers the case closed.

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The following descriptive data was furnished
regarding the subject:

Sex	Male
Race	Negro
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POB	Harrisburg, Pa.
Height	6'0"
Weight	149 lbs.
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Dark
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At a Stated Term of the United States Court of Appeals, in and for the Second
Circuit, held at the United States Court House, in the City of New York, on the
17th day of December, one thousand nine hundred
and 79.

In the Matter of Dr. Vladimir Zatko,
Petitioner.

Appellant

A motion having been made herein by ~~relator~~ pro se ~~for leave to proceed in forma pauperis, for consideration of the minutes at the~~
~~expenses of the United States for the case and for~~
WRIT OF PROHIBITION/MANDAMUS

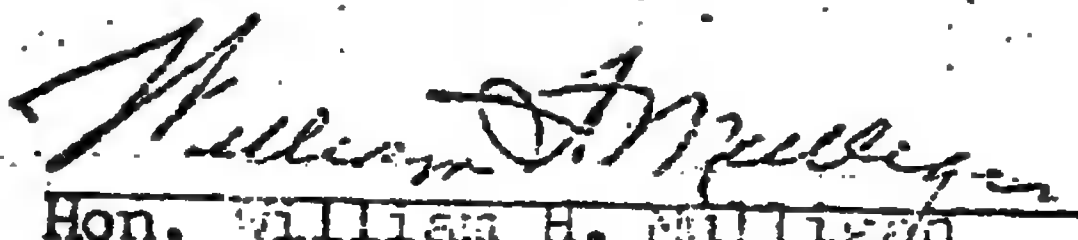

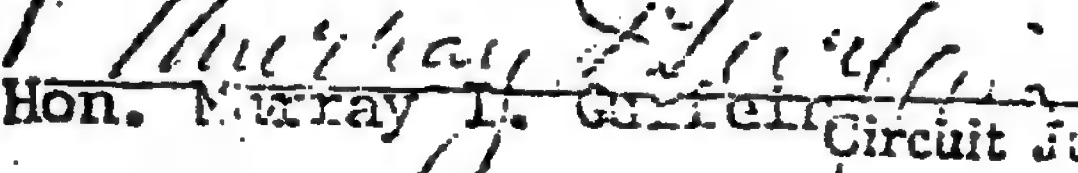
Upon consideration thereof, it is

Ordered that ~~the motion be granted~~ that the motion for leave
to proceed in forma pauperis for the limited purpose of
entertaining the petition is granted.

The request for a writ of prohibition/mandamus is denied.

Killed on
Dec. 16

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Hon. William H. Milligan

Hon. James L. Gates

Hon. Murray L. Grier
Circuit Judges

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2:30AM URGENT 3/10/74 DNW

TO: DIRECTOR (7-15200) (ATTN: GID & INTD)

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ROBERT W. HOLLIS OF THE "SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER"

FURNISHED AT 7:45PM MARCH 9, 1974, A YELLOW MANILA ENVELOPE WHICH CONTAINED ONE SCOTCH BRAND C-20 HIGHLANDER - LOW NOISE TAPE CASSETTE. WRITTEN ON THE LABEL WAS THE LETTERS SLA. THERE WAS ALSO CONTAINED IN THE ENVELOPE A CALIFORNIA STATE AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION CREDIT CARD WITH THE NAME PATRICIA C. HEARST ON THE FACE. HOLLIS STATED HE RECEIVED THIS MATERIAL FROM RADIO STATION KSAN, SAN FRANCISCO, AT 7:15PM. HOLLIS ADVISED THAT PERSONNEL AT KSAN TOLD HIM THEY RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL AT 2:15PM., MARCH 9, 1974, FROM AN UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE WHO SAID THERE WAS A TAPE IN THE LADIES RESTROOM AT FOSTER'S RESTAURANT AT POLK AND SUTTER STREETS, SAN FRANCISCO. THEY WERE UNABLE TO LOCATE ANY SUCH TAPE AND AT 4PM. THEY RECEIVED ANOTHER PHONE CALL AND WENT TO THE SECOND FLOOR RESTROOM AND FOUND AN ENVELOPE CONTAINING THE

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THE ABOVE MENTIONED TAPE AND CREDIT CARD INSIDE A PLASTIC JACKET OF THE TAPE AND TAPED TO THE WALL. HOLLIS STATED THAT, ACCORDING TO THE TAPE, THE FBI WAS NOT TO RECEIVE THIS TAPE AND THAT THE FBI WAS NOT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THEY HAD RECEIVED THE TAPE. THE TAPE RECORDING LASTS APPROXIMATELY 30 MINUTES. THE FIRST VOICE ON THE TAPE IS THAT OF AN UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE. SHE INDICATES THAT THE HOPES AND FEARS OF OUR PEOPLE ARE THE CONCERN OF THE SLA AND THAT THE SLA DOES NOT CONDONE THE PROPOGANDA ACTIONS OF THE NEWS MEDIA. SHE INDICATES THAT THE REASON FOR SUSPENSION OF SLA COMMUNICATIONS IS THE FACT THAT THE PRESS HAS DISTORTED THE COMMUNICATIONS AND HAS NOT, AS PREVIOUSLY DEMANDED, PUBLISHED THE COMPLETE TEXT OF THE PRINCIPLES OF THE SLA. SHE REFERS TO THESE PRINCIPLES AS BEING ONE: REVOLUTION, TWO: GUNS, AND THREE: TRUTH. SHE INDICATES THAT ALL DOCUMENTS MUST BE PRINTED PUBLICLY, INCLUDING THE SLA PROGRAM, COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE FOSTER CASE (REFERS TO THE SLAYING OF OAKLAND SCHOOL

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SUPERINTENDENT MARCUS FOSTER ON NOVEMBER 6, 1973), AND DETAILS OF THE SLA FOOD PROGRAM. WITH REFERENCE TO THE PEOPLE IN NEED (PIN) PROGRAM SHE IS HIGHLY CRITICAL REFERRING TO THE POOR QUALITY OF THE FOOD, THE LONG LINES OF PEOPLE WAITING TO RECEIVE THIS FOOD AND THE FACT THAT ONLY A SMALL NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS HAVE RECEIVED FOOD UNDER THIS PROGRAM. SHE MAKES REFERENCE TO A STATEMENT BY THE WESTERN ADDITION PROJECT AREA COMMITTEE (WAPAC) WHICH WAS CRITICAL OF THE PROGRAM AND ALSO COMMENTS CONCERNING VICTIM'S MOTHER'S PARTICIPATION AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AND THE HEARST FOUNDATION. SHE DESCRIBES THE AFORMENTIONED AS ENGAGING IN CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES. SHE CONTINUALLY MAKES REFERENCE TO THE FBI, THE RECENT STATEMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL REGARDING BUSTING IN ON THE SUBJECTS AND RISKING LIFE OF VICTIM AND INDICATES THAT CONTINUED FBI INVESTIGATION WILL RESULT IN THE EXECUTION OF THE VICTIM. SHE CONCLUDES WITH THE DEMAND THAT RUSSELL LITTLE AND JOSEPH REMIRO, CURRENTLY CHARGED AND INCARCERATED IN CONNECTION TO THE FOSTER KILLING, BE ALLOWED TO PUBLICLY MAKE STATEMENTS CONCERNING THEIR PHYSICAL CONDITION AND THE CONDITIONS SURROUNDING THEIR CONFINEMENT. THE

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SECOND DEMAND WAS THAT THE TAPE BE PUBLISHED IN FULL IN THE NEWS MEDIA.

IT WOULD APPEAR THAT THE TAPE WAS MADE EITHER ON MARCH 6, 1974, AND/OR SUBSEQUENT THER^ETO BECAUSE OF THE FACT THAT A TAPE CONTAINING THE VOICES OF LITTLE AND REMIRO WAS PLAYED ON RADIO STATION KPFA AT 6:30PM. ON MARCH 6, 1974. IN THIS TAPE LITTLE AND REMIRO REFERRED TO A PLOT ON THE PART OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO HAVE THEM KILLED BY INMATES AND ACCUSE THE NEWS MEDIA OF WAGING A CAMPAIGN AGAINST THEM THAT HAS MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR THEM TO RECEIVE A FAIR TRIAL AND REQUEST THAT THE^Y BE ALLOWED TO APPEAR BEFORE THE PUBLIC AT A NATIONALLY TELEVISED PRESS CONFERENCE AND STATE THEIR POSITION.

THE STATEMENT BY THE FIRST FEMALE LASTED APPROXIMATELY 12 MINUTES. THE NEXT VOICE ON THE TAPE WAS THAT OF THE VICTIM WHOSE VOICE WAS IDENTIFIED BY MEMBERS OF HER FAMILY AND AGENTS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE. THE SEGMENT OF THE TAPE CONTAINING VICTIM'S VOICE WAS OF APPROXIMATE 12 MINUTES DURATION. SHE WAS HIGHLY CRITICAL OF THE FBI, HER FATHER AND HER MOTHER.

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SHE INDICATED THAT HER PARENTS HAD NOT DONE ALL THEY COULD TO COMPLY WITH THE SLA DEMANDS, THAT HER FATHER CONTROLLED THE HEARST FOUNDATION AND THAT HE COULD HAVE INFLUENCED THE FOUNDATION TO PUT UP THE ADDITIONAL FOUR MILLION DOLLARS DEMANDED BY THE SLA. SHE ALSO MADE REFERENCE TO THE CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BOARD OF REGENTS, OF WHICH HER MOTHER IS A MEMBER AND TO THE HEARST CORPORATION. SHE STATED THAT THE FBI, CONTRARY TO THEIR PUBLIC STATEMENTS, WAS NOT CONCERNED FOR HER SAFETY OR FOR THAT MATTER FOR THE SAFETY OF ANY HOSTAGES. SHE APPEARED TO BE READING HER STATEMENT AND MADE REFERENCE TO THE POOR QUALITY OF FOOD DISTRIBUTED BY THE PIN PROGRAM AND THE FACT THAT SLA DEMANDS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS PROGRAM HAD NOT BEEN COMPLIED WITH. SHE INDICATED THAT THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF REMIRO AND LITTLE HAD BEEN VIOLATED AND MADE REFERENCE TO REMARKS OF CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN WHICH SHE DESCRIBED AS BEING

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ANTAGONISTIC. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT REAGAN RECENTLY PUBLICLY STATED THAT THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA WOULD NOT RELEASE ANY PRISONERS IF DEMANDED BY THE SLA FOR THAT MATTER ANY OTHER INDIVIDUAL AND/OR ORGANIZATION.

IN ESSENCE, DURING PATRICIA HEARST'S STATEMENT SHE WAS CRITICAL OF ALL ASPECTS OF THE FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM, HER PARENTS RESPONSE TO SLA DEMANDS, REMARKS OF GOVERNMENT AND STATE OFFICIALS CONCERNING THE KIDNAPING AND THE FBI'S INVESTIGATION IN CONNECTION WITH THE KIDNAPING. THE THIRD AND FOURTH VOICES ON THE TAPE APPEAR TO BE THOSE OF TWO UNIDENTIFIED FEMALES. THEIR VOICES ARE CONTAINED ON THE TAPE FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE MINUTE EACH AND THEIR COMMENTS REFER TO THE USUAL SLA RHETORIC.

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THE LAST VOICE ON THE TAPE IS THAT OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS BEING CINQUE. THIS IS UNDOUBTEDLY DONALD DAVID DE FREEZE, UFAC FUGITIVE WHOSE VOICE WAS ON THREE EARLIER TAPES. HE URGES ALL BLACK, YELLOW AND ALL OPPRESSED PEOPLE TO COME TOGETHER TO ARM THEMSELVES AND "POINT THE SIGHTS OF THEIR GUNS TOWARD THE ENEMY". HE URGES ALL OPPRESSED PEOPLE, INCLUDING PIMPS AND PROSTITUTES, TO WAGE WAR AGAINST CORPORATIONS.

THE PORTION OF THE TAPE CONTAINING CINQUE'S VOICE LASTED APPROXIMATELY TWO MINUTES.

THE TAPE WAS OF EXTREMELY POOR QUALITY AND IN SOME PORTIONS ALMOST UNINTELLIGIBLE.

A COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF THE TAPE INSOFAR AS POSSIBLE WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE BUREAU.

THE TAPE AND CREDIT CARD REFERRED TO ABOVE ARE BEING SUBMITTED TO THE LABORATORY FOR APPROPRIATE EXAMINATION AND LAB WILL BE REQUESTED TO COMPARE VOICES ON THE TAPE WITH PREVIOUS CASSETTES SUBMITTED IN CAPTIONED MATTER AND ALSO WITH THE CASSETTE CONTAINING THE VOICE OF NANCY LING PERRY.

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COPIES OF THE TAPE WILL BE FURNISHED TO THE INDIANAPOLIS AND CHICAGO OFFICES WHERE THE PARENTS OF WILLIAM AND EMILY HARRIS RESIDE AND ALSO TO THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE WHERE PATRICIA MICHELLE SOLTYSIK'S PARENTS RESIDE IN AN EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF THE FEMALE VOICES ON THE TAPE ARE INDENTICAL WITH ANY OF THOSE INDIVIDUALS.

THE RESTROOM WHERE THE TAPE WAS RECOVERED HAS BEEN PROCESSED AND ANY LATENTS DEVELOPED WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FOR APPROPRIATE EXAMINATION.

PERSONNEL AT KSAN RADIO STATION ARE BEING CONTACTED IN AN EFFORT TO ASCERTAIN COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE RECEIPT OF THE CASSETTE.

THE BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF SUBSEQUENT PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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CC: MR. THOMPSON

June 5, 1972
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached Sacramento Airtel reports that according to the California State Police and the State (California) Superintendent of Public Instruction, Sacramento, California, the life of Governor Ronald Reagan has been threatened by a group of alleged law students attending nonaccredited law schools in California. The group professes that they are poor and can not attend accredited law schools and can only be given credit for their first year of law study after they pass the First Year Law Students Examination. According to the group, students who attend accredited schools need not take the exam. California State Police and the California Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation are currently conducting an investigation into this matter. No suspects have been developed to date. California State Police furnished a copy of the letter (attached) for information and not as a request for FBI investigation.

Our Sacramento Office has furnished a copy to U. S. Secret Service, Sacramento, for information. As California authorities are conducting investigation, no FBI investigation will be initiated.

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-199)(C)

UNSUB; RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA - VICTIM
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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy of a type-written letter postmarked at Los Angeles, California, addressed to Governor RONALD REAGAN, Sacramento, California, reportedly sent by the Poor Students Union.

A copy of above letter was furnished on 6/1/72, by JOHN CARBONE, California State Police, Sacramento, who advised that this is the last of six letters, all identical in content, which were sent to Governor RONALD REAGAN postmarked on different dates in Los Angeles.

CARBONE also advised that since receipt of these six letters, WILSON RILES, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Sacramento, has also been in receipt of three identical letters, all postmarked Los Angeles.

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CARBONE advised he is furnishing this letter for informational purposes and not as a request for active investigation.

CARBONE advised that his agency in conjunction with California Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation (CII) is currently conducting an investigation into this matter; however, no suspects have been developed to date.

A copy of this letter has been furnished to Secret Service, Sacramento.

Indices of the Sacramento Office contained no record of the Poor Students Union.

UACB, Sacramento contemplates no investigation in this matter.

The Bureau is requested to include this letter in the Anonymous Letter File.

An information copy has been furnished the Los Angeles Office since these letters were postmarked in that city.

Mr. Mohr
Mr. Bishop
Mr. Conrad

Governor Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
State Capitol Building
Sacramento, California
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Dear Sir, I represent an organization called "the Poor Students Union"; our Membership consists of poor students and students, who come from poor families. Many of our members are enrolled in California Law Schools because we figure that the best way to help our poor friends and relatives in California is by going through the courts and using the laws. The type of California Law Schools that most of our members are enrolled are the Non Accredited Law schools because in many cases there tuitions are lower than those of the accredited schools. I have been informed by the Committee of Bar Examiners, and so has every member of the Poor Students Union who is attending a California Law School, that students in accredited law schools get credit for their first year of Law School without taking the First Year Law Students Examination; White students in Non Accredited Law Schools are denied credit for their first year of Law School unless they take and pass the first Year Law Students

Examination. We students who are members of the Poor Students Union feel that this is unfair discrimination against us since most of us are in Non Accredited Law Schools because we are too poor to go to accredited law schools (tuition in Non Accredited Law Schools is cheaper than in accredited Law Schools) because we feel that we are being discriminated against; we are all threatening (and we will do it so help us God) kill Governor Ronald Reagan and the Mayor of every major city in California if a first year law students examination is given on June 20, 1972 or over again in the future. Our organization (which has over 200,000 members in California alone) will also stage one of the worst poor peoples riots in California history; one which I guarantee you will be worst than the Tet offensive in South Vietnam back in

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(Poor Students Union is a secret society as poor people find it embarrassing to admit they are poor; so you may find it difficult if not impossible to check and find out whether or not this organization exists.)

A List of 60 people who are poor and because of this had to go to non accredited Law schools because there tuition is cheaper than those of accredited law schools. These 60 poor people all have 100 followers each who is also poor and are dedicated to killing Governor Ronald Reagan and the mayor of every major city in California if a First Year Law Students examination is given on

June 20, 1972 or even again in the future.. These People Are:

(people listed below have changed their names in order to protect themselves; they are all enrolled in California Law Schools under different names)

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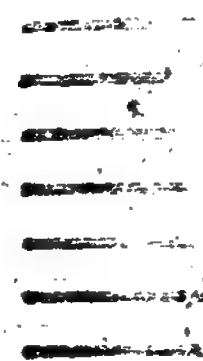
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GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA
STATE CAPITOL BUILDING
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA
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VERY IMPORTANT,, URGENT AND CONFIDENTIAL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-436) (C)

SUBJECT: aka RACE TRACK } NT
 EVELLE YOUNGER;
 RONALD REAGAN - VICTIMS
 EXTORTION

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and two copies of self-explanatory LHM. A copy of this LHM is being furnished U. S. Secret Service locally.

UACB, no further investigation being conducted by Sacramento inasmuch as California authorities are handling this matter.

It should be noted that is presently incarcerated at Folsom Prison, Represa, Ca., serving a life sentence and is a prolific letter writer. State authorities have maintained copies of this letter and previous correspondence from .

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Ronald Reagan-3783

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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Sacramento, California

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[redacted] also known
as [redacted]
EVELLE YOUNGER;
RONALD REAGAN - VICTIMS

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On May 10, 1976, Lieutenant Lon Richards, California State Police, assigned to the Governor's Office, Sacramento, Ca., made available a copy of a letter dated May 1, 1976, addressed to Mrs. Dymally, wife of Lieutenant Governor Mervyn M. Dymally, from captioned individual, which letter is attached. Lieutenant Richards advised he was furnishing a copy of this letter to the local office of the FBI and the U. S. Secret Service due to the veiled threats contained in the letter against California Attorney General Evelle Younger and former Governor Ronald Reagan.

As background, [redacted] is presently incarcerated at Folsom Prison on a life sentence. He is a prolific letter writer and well known to California authorities. According to Lieutenant Richards, California authorities have an extensive file on [redacted] and they are conducting their own investigation relative to any threats against Mr. Younger. California State Police is maintaining custody of all correspondence received from [redacted] and, in this particular letter, which rambles on, there is really no specific threat against anyone including the recipient, Mrs. Dymally.

Lieutenant Richards further advised that he was bringing this matter to the attention of the local office of the U. S. Secret Service since they are presently charged with the protective responsibilities of Presidential candidate Ronald Reagan.

In view of this, the fact that California authorities are handling this matter relative to an individual presently incarcerated under a life sentence, and the veiled nature of any threat, the Sacramento Office of the FBI plans no further investigation.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

Ronald Reagan-3784

May 1, 1976

Ronald Reagan-3785

Mrs. Dymally,

I would like an immediate interview with you and the Press for the sake of preventing more killings in the Prisons, because I am a long ways from stopping now after being framed by Evelle Younger and other clown pigs.

I want guarantee access to press, without the strained imagination of lap-dogs for the government in the way of truth and I will prove slavery and conspiracy in the system against the people.

If you inspect the Enclose document (pending in the federal court, u.s 9th Circuit) you'll find every assertion therein being true . This document, Writ of Habeas Corpus number 76-8150 .

If it was Evelle Younger calling for the correction of records to confirm acquittal's, the case would never had passed the superior Court, however, it being me a Black its a fight just to get my leagl document filed in the Court.

I am held in a Folsom prison where I received not one visit sence being placed in this pit, because of the suppression of the San Francisco county jurors acquittal . The pending case is numbered 76-8150, U.S. 9th Circuit Appeal Court.

No strain will be put on you mister, because its impossible for these yellow mutta fuckas to prevent me from exposing this case of slavery, not even death can stop me because I ain't never dying without taking some these stinking shit-head lying son of bitches with me .

Evelle Younger and Reagan are murdering coward son of bitches that don't deserve to breath air, and I'll kill the scums for no money down to bring their klan shit to an indefinate end !

Every pig involved gonna pay for the frame-up in this case.

I said it,

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1 - Mr. Oberg



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-0)

Date: May 5, 1967

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Re:
Governor RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.
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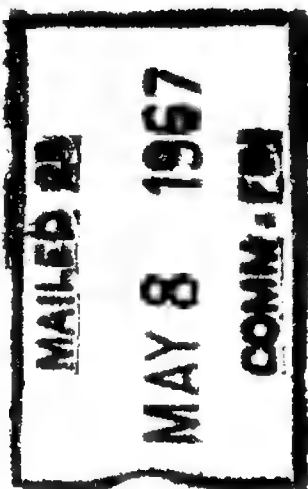
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-0)

Date: May 5, 1967

 Re:
 Governor RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM
 EXTORTION

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Specimens received 5/2/67

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ALSO SUBMITTED: Copy of report prepared by California Department of Corrections regarding subject

Result of examination:

Specimen Qc1 was searched through the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File without identifying it with any of the writings therein. A representative copy will be added to the file for future reference.

Specimen Qc1 and then "ALSO SUBMITTED" material have been retained.

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Re:

Governor RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM
EXTORTION

File # 9-46596-1
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Examination requested by: San Francisco (9-0)

4/27/67

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 5/2/67

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Oberg (5/4/67)

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2- Key Qcl. + also sub. material

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Specimens submitted for examination

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ALSO SUBMITTED: ~~Photo~~ Copy of report prepared by California Department of Corrections re subject

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Ronald
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/27/67

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-0)

SUBJECT:

Governor RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Enclosed herewith are one copy of a report prepared by the California Department of Corrections regarding subject, one copy of an envelope, and one copy of a letter sent by [redacted] to the victim.

On 4/26/67, CHARLES E. CASEY, Assistant Director, California Department of Corrections, Sacramento, Calif., advised SA PETER T. SEXTON that his office had conducted an investigation of captioned individual, an inmate of the California Prison System, because of a letter he addressed on 3/24/67 to Governor RONALD REAGAN. Mr. CASEY furnished a copy of the letter and envelope addressed to the Governor, as well as one copy of a report prepared by ROBERT C. HOOPER of the Department of Corrections. CASEY further stated and confirmed by letter that he has already furnished a copy of the report, envelope and letter to STEPHEN A. BYRNE, Special Agent in Charge, U. S. Secret Service, Sacramento.

He further advised he is not requesting any investigation and does not wish any to be conducted; he commented he furnished the material for information purposes. He stated he considers the letter obscene.

No investigation is being conducted by the San Francisco Office and no dissemination is being made.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Re:

**Governor RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM
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4/27/67

Examination requested: **Document**

Date received: 5/2/67

Result of Examination:

Examination by: **Oberg**

Specimens submitted for examination

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letter, dated S.F. LET. DIR. DD. 4/27/67
described as

LETTER, ENVELOPE & REPORT
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Re

GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN-VICTIM

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Ronald
Reagan-2537

Sucker, My
Dick Punk

March 24, 1967

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To whom it May Concern: a punk
Like you The convicts Here are
getting sick on the gop Damm tires
By The way you are Running your
Fucker Motor Mouth off when you
gont take care ~~the~~ Things in your
own Back yard. When your Trying
To run the State If you Dont
watch out youll have a convict
Revolution on your Dick Squeezing
~~the~~ Harbs Key Punk if you Hate
convicts so Bad and pass a bill
to send some of us to Vietnam.
Her Motor Mouth Punk why Dont
you send your Mother to the
Pill, since she Brought Such a
Scimy. Shit Faced Motor Mouth
Punk in The ~~the~~ world Every time
we ~~the~~ ifar you. you Punk Faced
Bastard, Running your Mouth.
the More we'd Like to Fuck you
in the Mouth. But were afraid
of cancer. Closing for now I got
your's Swinger you Big Punk

Ronald
Reagan-2538

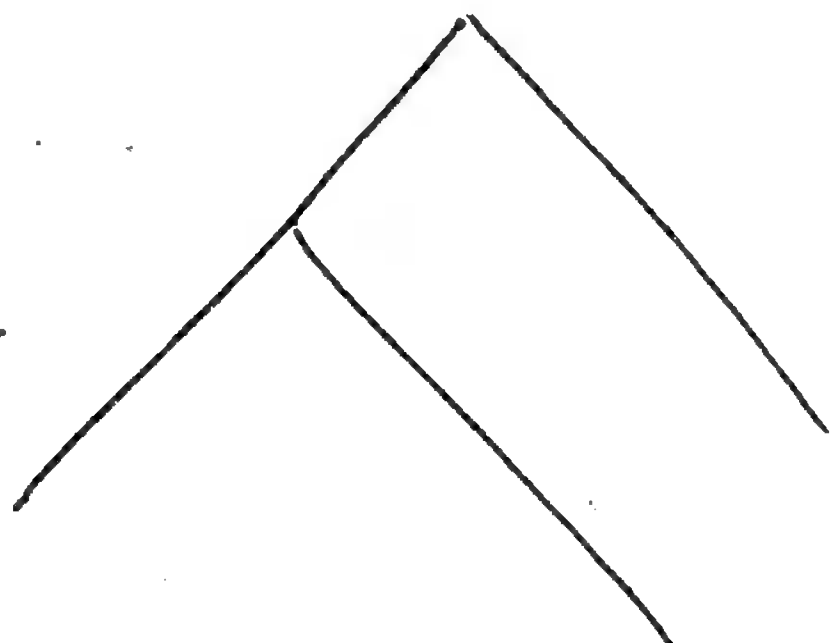
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Fuck All of your Punks.
~~the~~ Police's your Dick Sucker

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POOR
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AND
YOUR
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Ronald
Reagan-2539

FUCK
SACRAMENTO
AND FUCK
CALIFORNIA TO PUNK

Tracy, Calif 95376

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Mr. Ronald Reagan
Office of The Governor
Sacramento California
Personal Confidential

Ronald
Reagan-2540

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To:

Mr. Walter Dunbar, Director
Department of Corrections
200 State Office Bldg. #1
Sacramento, California

Attn: Mr. Charles E. Casey
Assistant Director

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
SPECIAL SERVICE UNIT
R. C. Hooper
Sacramento

Date:

4-7-67

Classification:

Profane Letter to
Governor Reagan

AUTHORITY FOR REPORT

On 4-4-67 Assistant Director Casey instructed the undersigned to determine the authorship and reasons for the responsible person sending to the Governor's Office the attached profane letter.

SYNOPSIS

[redacted], whose name appears on the above described letter, admitted on 4-5-67 that he had sent the letter to Governor Reagan. His reason for sending the letter described by [redacted] as "I hate his f-----g guts." He went on to repeat much of the same language that appeared in the letter.

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On 4-5-67 the undersigned and Superintendent Procunier of the Deuel Vocational Institution interviewed [redacted] at the Adjustment Center. [redacted] freely admitted sending the letter and as above stated, indicated a genuine dislike for Governor Reagan's methods of handling inmates. He also expressed some strong feelings about the Governor's attitude toward the death penalty. He repeated several times "I just don't give a God Damn."

[redacted], as the attached Cumulate Case Summary reveals, was initially committed to the California Youth Authority under [redacted]. On [redacted] he was paroled and on [redacted] parole was revoked. On [redacted] he was again paroled but on [redacted] was arrested by Ventura Police Department in violation of 12021-12025 of the Penal Code (Carrying Certain Firearms Without License). On [redacted] he was again returned as a parole violator.

On [redacted] he [redacted] whereupon he and [redacted] stole several automobiles, committed a burglary, and a robbery. They were subsequently apprehended in Oklahoma and returned to the Ventura County Jail.

Ronald

Reagan-2541

Case Location
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Reference Number

On [] he [] was found approximately four hours later carrying a tire iron in the waist band of his pants.

[] Cumulative Case Summary is replete with examples of violent, aggressive actions and statements. He has shown a repeated fascination for firearms. He has been described as quite violent prone, dangerous, anti-social, belligerent, bizarre, and negativistic. He is an escape risk. Dr. [] Psychiatric Consultant at DVI, indicated in a report that Subject's "behavior while not psychotic, was of such bizarre nature that he should be handled as a psychotic."

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With [] avowed hatred of Governor Reagan, this young man is quite capable of duplicating circumstances which occurred in November 1963 at Dallas, Texas.

For the above reasons the undersigned recommends that the attached letter, which [] admits writing to Governor Reagan, be placed in the Permanent Addenda File. In addition the undersigned recommends that appropriate offense and arrest reports be obtained from Ventura County law enforcement agencies and Camarillo State Hospital and also be placed with the Permanent Addenda File.

STATUS

Active Special Service Unit interest is terminated.



ROBERT C. HOOPER
Special Agent

RCH:gt

Ronald
Reagan-2542

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20226

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Date: July 29, 1968

BY LIAISON G. McLeod

TO : Federal Bureau of Investigation
ATTN: Special Agent Bernard Rachner
FROM : JAMES J. ROWLEY, DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: Unknown Subject
AKA J. Black Panther

Attached is a copy of a letter from Mrs. T. E. Njos, 4944 Collingwood Drive, San Diego, California, addressed to The Honorable Bob Wilson, House Office Building, Washington, D. C., dated 7-13-68. Mrs. Njos is furnishing Representative Wilson a copy of an anonymous letter she received addressed to her as the result of an editorial she had written in the San Diego Tribune. The anonymous subject states in part, "I bet when Ronald Reagan gets his head blown off, you will be the first to holler. 'Lets do something'". The subject is not of record with this service and the attached letters have been referred to our San Diego office for investigation.

Please furnish this service with any reports that might result from an investigation into this matter.

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Attachments

Copy of letter to Mrs. Njos

Copy of letter from Mrs. Njos to Rep. Wilson

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San Diego, Calif.
July 13, 1968

The Honorable Bob Wilson
House Office Building
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I am enclosing copies of my letter to the Editor, S. D. Tribune, July 6th, and a hate filled letter I received, signed J. Black Panther. The addresses is fictitious, the police tell me. As you know we do have a group called the Set Black Panther. Gov. Reagan's life was threatened as well as my children. His sights will have to be set pretty high to kill my son. He is in Vietnam willing to give his life, if neccessary, in a phony war he is not allowed to win while characters like these roam free to destroy our country from within. Gun registration will not prevent criminals from obtaining guns.

I demand to know if tax money is being used in San Diego to train these revolutionaries. There is enough evidence in Gary Allen's "War on Poverty" that tax money is being used ^{by the D.E.O.} all over United States, to demand a full fledged congressional investigation to clear the Office of Economic Opportunity or to abolish it. And I don't mean a committee appoined by President Johnson.

Respectfully,

Mrs. T.E. Njos

cc: Gov. Reagan
Senator Murphy
Rep. Utt

Senator John G. Schmitz (Cal.)
Senator Schrade (Cal.)
Rep. John Stull (Calif.)

Mrs. T.E. Njos
4944 Collingwood Dr.
San Diego, Calif. 92109

Ronald Reagan-2546

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Dear Mrs. Njos;

You stinking bitch, what you don't understand is that we in America live in a racist society. I am with you. "lets not register guns. Black people need all the guns they can get their hands on. I bet when Ronald Reagan get his head blown off, you will be the first to holler "lets do something." He will get his sweetheart, and soon. I hope to see this country go up in smoke. If I can not live here in freedom, I'll do everything in my power to see that all white bastards catch hell along with me. what are you? a wop, or

Firearms Possession Held Deterrent to Dictatorship

Editor: I commend Police Chief O. J. Roed and Gov. Reagan for their stand against gun registration. The "bleeding hearts" keep releasing criminals and demanding more rigid gun laws to regulate the law abiding!

If they were really honest in what they propose, how about legislation making a long jail term mandatory when a gun is used in the commission of a crime? They want to condition the public to the idea that for citizens to have guns and ammunition in their homes is somehow dangerous.

The people of the United States present a unique menace to its aspiring dictators. Somewhere out there, there are more rifles, pistols and shotguns than are possessed by all the armies of the earth combined! And the "soft on criminals" and revolutionary boys are going quietly out of their minds. The only way they are going to know, is to have you register them. Then as murders and assassinations continue unabated, guess whose guns will be confiscated?

During the recent riots in Washington, D.C., police stood by helplessly, on orders, for 16 hours while revolutionaries helped themselves to the loot. Read HUAC report "Guerrilla Warfare Advocates in the United States," recently released by the Government Printing Office and "Insurrection" by Susan L. M. Huck and see what is planned for you! Then you decide who is going to protect your home and family while the "bleeding hearts" tie the hands of our police.

The time to let your congressmen and state representatives know you are opposed to gun registration is now. The time to elect men who will stand up for America is Nov. 5.

-MRS. T. E. NJOS.
4944 Collingwood Drive

Ronald Reagan-2547

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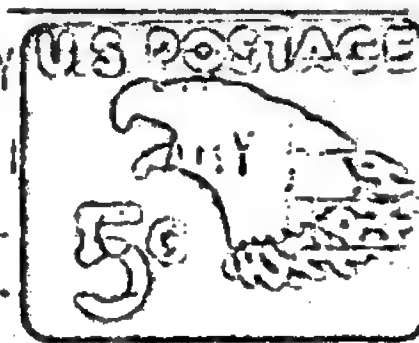
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a stinking mexican? It doesn't
matter really. As long as I can
get one of your children in my
gun sights when the war starts,
I'll be satisfied. There are going to
be no more lynching of Blacks with
out some white bastard paying
with his life for it. You can bet
on that slut.

yours
J. Black Panther

J. B. PANTHER
701 South 32nd ST.
SAN DIEGO, CALIF.



Mrs. T. E. NIOS
4944 Collingwood Dr.
SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

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August 5, 1968

Director, FBI **9**

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AKA
① **DET BLACK PANTHER**
① **J. BLACK PANTHER**
J. B. PANTHER
RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM;
MRS. T. E. NJOS - VICTIM
EXTORTION

1 - Mr. Bowers
1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Mr. McKinnon

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Reurteletype 8/1/64 captioned "Letter Addressed to Mrs. T. E. Njos Containing Threat Against Governor Ronald Reagan Mailed at San Diego July 7, 1968, Threats to Presidential Candidates."

Enclosed herewith for San Diego are Xerox copies of a letter of transmittal from Secret Service dated 7/29/68 concerning captioned matter and its enclosures.

The letter received by Mrs. Njos contains threats to both Reagan and Njos. Referenced teletype did not state what action if any has been taken or is contemplated concerning the existence of a possible violation of the Federal Extortion Statute. Your teletype would appear to indicate that local authorities are conducting investigation concerning the receipt by the victim of this letter. If this is true and if no active investigation is being conducted by your office, Mrs. Njos should be advised that local authorities are conducting active investigation and the FBI is not in order that no interference will be made in their investigation.

If local authorities are not conducting any investigation, this matter should be promptly discussed with appropriate United States Attorney for prosecutive opinion. Advise Bureau results in form suitable for dissemination.

A copy of the threatening communication is being examined in the Laboratory and you will be advised of the results.

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NOTE

By teletype 8/1/64 San Diego advised of the receipt by Mrs. T. E. Njos of a letter containing threats against Governor Reagan and Njos. The letter agreed with Mrs. Njos' opinion that guns should not be registered (Mrs. Njos recently had written a letter to the editor of a local paper which was published concerning registering of guns). The communication contains threats to Governor Reagan and Njos. It is signed J. Black Panther, San Diego; the street address of the letter is nonexistent. USSS has been advised as well as appropriate local authorities; however, there is a possible violation of the Federal Extortion Statute contained in this letter.

By memorandum 7/29/68 from USSS, USSS forwarded copy of a letter sent from victim Njos to Congressman Bob Wilson of California. She enclosed a copy of the threatening communication. Mrs. Njos demanded to know if tax money is being used in San Diego to train revolutionaries such as the individual who wrote to her. She indicated a copy of her letter was being sent to Governor Reagan, Senator Murphy, Representative Utt, Senator John G. Schmitz (California), Senator Schrade (California) and Representative John Stull (California).

Our files reveal Mrs. T. E. Njos by letter to Congressman Thomas Kuchel dated 1/25/67, copy to the Bureau, criticizes a treaty being considered at that time with Russia and states that if this treaty is enacted more Soviet spies will be living in this country. She was complimentary concerning the Director.

Ronald Reagan-2550

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11-59 PM URGENT 8-1-64 (80)

TO DIRECTOR, SACRAMENTO, SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES

(ALL OFFICES CODE)

FROM SAN DIEGO (175-NEW)

VIA TELETYPE

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Mr. Tolson
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

LETTER ADDRESSED TO MRS. T. E. NJOS CONTAINING THREAT AGAINST
GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN MAILED AT SAN DIEGO JULY SEVEN, NINETEEN
SIXTYEIGHT, THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

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JOHN H. HANSEN, SPECIAL AGENT, BUREAU OF CRIMINAL

IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, STATE
OF CALIFORNIA THIS DATE MADE AVAILABLE TO FBI SAN DIEGO COPY
OF LETTER MAILED IN SAN DIEGO JULY SEVEN LAST TO MRS. T.E.
NJOS, FOUR NINE FOUR FOUR COLLINGWOOD DRIVE, SAN DIEGO. MRS.
NJOS HAD WRITTEN LETTER TO EDITOR WHICH WAS PUBLISHED IN THE
SAN DIEGO EVENING TRIBUNE JULY SIX LAST. LETTER PRAISED POLICE
CHIEF O.J. ROED AND GOVERNOR REAGAN FOR THEIR STAND AGAINST
GUN REGISTRATION.

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OTHER OFFICES ADVISED SEPARATELY.

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Ronald Reagan-2552

1 - Mr. Lisker



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **FBI, San Diego (175-11)**

Date: **August 12, 1968**

Re: **UNKNOWN SUBJECT, aka
JET BLACK PANTHER,
J. BLACK PANTHER,
J. B. PANTHER;
RONALD REAGAN - Victim;
MRS. T. E. NJOS - Victim;
Extortion**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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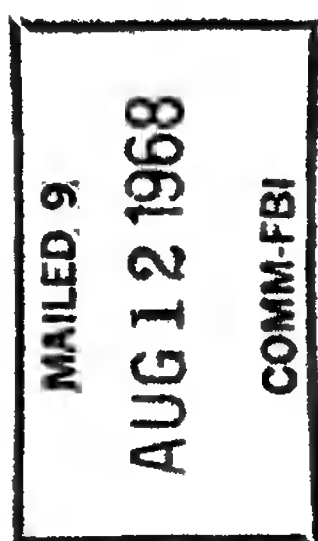
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Examination requested by: **Bureau; FBI, San Diego**

Reference: **Letter August 5, 1968, Teletype August 1, 1968**

Examination requested: **Document**

Remarks:



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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

**2 - Honorable James J. Rowley
Director, U. S. Secret Service
Washington, D. C. 20220**

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D-680806115 LB**D-680808076 LB**Specimens received **August 6, 1968, from FBI, San Diego**

Qc1 Photocopy of envelope bearing hand printed address "Mrs. T. E. NJOS 4944 Collingwood Dr. San Diego, Calif."

Qc2 Photocopy of a two-page handwritten letter beginning "Dear Mrs. Njos; You stinking..."

Result of examination:

Specimens Qc1 and Qc2 were searched through the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification; copies have been added thereto.

The evidence is retained.

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RONALD REAGAN - Victim;
MRS. T. E. NJOS - Victim;
EXTORTION

File # D-680806115 LB
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Examination requested by: *Bureau*
~~SAN DIEGO~~

L. August 5, 1968

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 8/6/68

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Lisker

*Qc1 + Qc2 searched app 5 ACF w/o effecting
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Evidence retained -

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"Dear Mrs. Njos; You stinking...."
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~~handwritten note beginning "a stinking Mexican?..."~~
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cc. U.S. Secret Service



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Ronald Reagan-2555

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: FBI Laboratory)

DATE: 8-5-68

FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (175-11)

SUBJECT: Letter Addressed to Mrs. T. E. NJOS
Containing threat against Governor
Ronald Reagan mailed at San Diego
July 7, 1968
THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

680808076

Re San Diego teletype August 1, 1968. Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a letter received by Mrs. NJOS. One copy of the enclosed letter is for the FBI Laboratory and one copy for Secret Service, Washington, D.C.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the enclosed Xerox copy of the letter to Mrs. NJOS to a logical handwriting on file at the Bureau. The letter should then be retained by the FBI Laboratory for comparison with any samples forwarded to the Bureau by San Diego in the future.

A letterhead memorandum suitable for dissemination is being forwarded to the Bureau under separate cover.

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- 2 - San Diego

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20226

601.

Date: July 29, 1968

BY LIAISON G. McLeod

TO : Federal Bureau of Investigation
ATTN: Special Agent Bernard Rachner
FROM : JAMES J. ROWLEY, DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: Unknown Subject
AKA J. Black Panther

Attached is a copy of a letter from Mrs. T. E. Njos, 4944 Collingwood Drive, San Diego, California, addressed to The Honorable Bob Wilson, House Office Building, Washington, D. C., dated 7-13-68. Mrs. Njos is furnishing Representative Wilson a copy of an anonymous letter she received addressed to her as the result of an editorial she had written in the San Diego Tribune. The anonymous subject states in part, "I bet when Ronald Reagan gets his head blown off, you will be the first to holler. 'Lets do something'". The subject is not of record with this service and the attached letters have been referred to our San Diego office for investigation.

Please furnish this service with any reports that might result from an investigation into this matter.

Attachments

Copy of letter to Mrs. Njos

Copy of letter from Mrs. Njos to Rep. Wilson

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San Diego, Calif.
July 13, 1968

The Honorable Bob Wilson
House Office Building
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I am enclosing copies of my letter to the Editor, S. D. Tribune, July 6th, and a hate filled letter I received, signed J. Black Panther. The addresses is fictitious, the police tell me. As you know we do have a group called the Jet Black Panther. Gov. Reagan's life was threatened as well as my children. His sights will have to be set pretty high to kill my son. He is in Vietnam willing to give his life, if necessary, in a phony war he is not allowed to win while characters like these roam free to destroy our country from within. Gun registration will not prevent criminals from obtaining guns.

I demand to know if tax money is being used in San Diego to train these revolutionaries. There is enough evidence in Gary Allen's "War on Poverty" that tax money is being used all over United States, to demand a full fledged congressional investigation to clear the Office of Economic Opportunity or to abolish it. And I don't mean a committee appointed by President Johnson.

Respectfully,

Mrs. T.E. Njos

cc: Gov. Reagan
Senator Murphy
Rep. Utt

Senator John G. Schmitz (Cal.)
Senator Schrade (Cal.)
Rep. John Stull (Calif.)

Mrs. T.E. Njos
4944 Collingwood Dr.
San Diego, Calif. 92109

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LETTER ADDRESSED TO MRS. T. E. NJOS CONTAINING THREAT AGAINST
GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN MAILED AT SAN DIEGO JULY SEVEN, NINETEEN
SIXTYEIGHT, THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

JOHN H. HANSEN, SPECIAL AGENT, BUREAU OF CRIMINAL
IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, STATE
OF CALIFORNIA THIS DATE MADE AVAILABLE TO FBI SAN DIEGO COPY
OF LETTER MAILED IN SAN DIEGO JULY SEVEN LAST TO MRS. T.E.
NJOS, FOUR NINE FOUR FOUR COLLINGWOOD DRIVE, SAN DIEGO. MRS.
NJOS HAD WRITTEN LETTER TO EDITOR WHICH WAS PUBLISHED IN THE
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FBI WASH DC

Bill H. Miller
Ronald Reagan-2563



Dear Mrs. Njos;

You stinking bitch, what you don't understand is that we in America live in a racist society. I am with you. "lets not register guns. Black people need all the guns they can get their hands on. I bet when Ronald Reagan get his head blown off, you will be the first to holler "lets do something." He will get his sweetheart, and soon. I hope to see this country go up in smoke. If I can not live here in freedom, I'll do everything in my power to see that all white bastards catch hell along with me. what are you? a wop, or

Firearms Possession Held Deterrent to Dictatorship

Editor: I commend Police Chief G. J. Roed and Gov. Reagan for their stand against gun registration. The "bleeding hearts" keep releasing criminals and demanding more rigid gun laws to regulate the law abiding!

If they were really honest in what they propose, how about legislation making a long jail term mandatory when a gun is used in the commission of a crime? They want to condition the public to the idea that for citizens to have guns and ammunition in their homes is somehow dangerous.

The people of the United States present a unique menace to its aspiring dictators. Somewhere out there, there are more rifles, pistols and shotguns than are possessed by all the armies of the earth combined! And the "soft on criminals" and revolutionary boys are going quietly out of their minds. The only way they are going to know, is to have you register them. Then as murders and assassinations continue unabated, guess whose guns will be confiscated?

During the recent riots in Washington, D.C., police stood by helplessly, on orders, for 16 hours while revolutionaries helped themselves to the loot. Read HUAC report "Guerrilla Warfare Advocates in the United States," recently released by the Government Printing Office and "Insurrection" by Susan L. M. Huck and see what is planned for you! Then you decide who is going to protect your home and family while the "bleeding hearts" tie the hands of our police.

The time to let your congressmen and state representatives know you are opposed to gun registration is now. The time to elect men who will stand up for America is Nov. 5.

-MRS. T. E. NJOS.
4944 Collingwood Drive

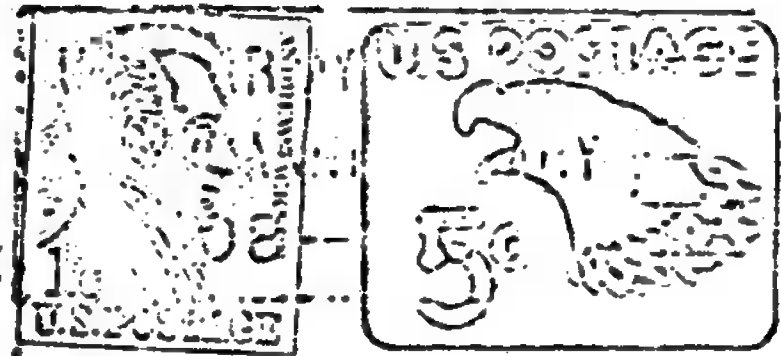
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yours
J. Black Panther

J. B. PANTHER
701 South 32nd ST.
SAN DIEGO, CALIF.



Mrs. T. E. NJO'S
4944 Collingwood Dr.
SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : *W/83* SAC, SAN DIEGO (175-11) (C)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; aka
JET BLACK PANTHER,
J. BLACK PANTHER,
J. B. PANTHER;
RONALD REAGAN - Victim;
Mrs. T. E. NJOS - Victim;
Extortion

DATE: 8/26/68

Re Bureau letter to San Diego 8/5/68.

Mr. JOHN H. HANSEN, Special Agent, Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation, Department of Justice, State of California, 1350 Front Street, San Diego, California, continues to conduct an active investigation regarding the letter received by Mrs. NJOS. During the course of this investigation he has had the fingerprints of KENNETH DENMON and WALTER WALLACE compared to prints found on the original of the letter received by Mrs. NJOS with negative results. Should the San Diego Office come upon information during the course of further investigation which would be pertinent to determination of the subject who sent the letter to Mrs. NJOS, this information will immediately be furnished to Mr. HANSEN and the Bureau will be advised.

Mrs. NJOS has been advised that local authorities are conducting active investigation in this case and that the FBI is not conducting investigation in order that no interference will be made in their investigation.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 9/26/72

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-4835) (C)

SUBJECT:

RONALD REAGAN, Governor,
State of California - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Re Los Angeles teletype to the Bureau dated 6/5/72,
and Seattle airtel to the Bureau dated 9/7/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of a LHM
reflecting information concerning this matter, together with
two copies of FD-376.

Copies of the enclosed LHM have been furnished
to U.S. Attorney, Los Angeles, and U.S. Secret Service, Los
Angeles.

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SA ROBERT F. JACOBS presented facts concerning this
matter to AUSA JOHN M. NEWMAN, JR. SA JACOBS also notified
U.S. Secret Service at Los Angeles of the information contained
in the LHM. SA JOHN F. MORRISON obtained information regarding
subject [redacted] from Lt. DENNIS WILLIAMS of the California
State Police.

Los Angeles indices are negative regarding subject

Information copies furnished to Sacramento and
Seattle in view of prior investigative interest.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

File No. LA 9-4835

September 26, 1972

Director
United States Secret Service
Department of the Treasury
Washington, D. C. 20220

RE: RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☐ Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. ☐ Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. ☒ Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4. ☐ Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. ☐ Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. ☐ Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
7. ☐ Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.

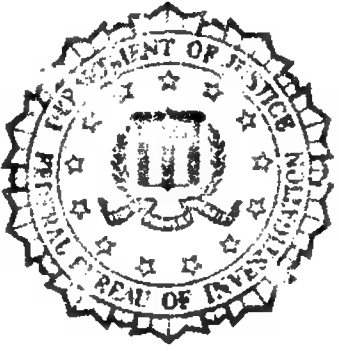
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Very truly yours,

L. Patrick Gray, III
Acting Director

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s))
U. S. Secret Service , Los Angeles (RM)

Enclosure(s) (Upon removal of classified enclosures, if any, this transmittal form becomes UNCLASSIFIED.)
Ronald Reagan-4071



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California
September 26, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

[REDACTED]
RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA -
VICTIM
EXTORTION

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On May 31, 1972, Johnnie T. Dennis, Science Department, Walla Walla High School, Walla Walla, Washington, furnished xerox copies of correspondence that he had received in the mail on May 16, 1972, from [REDACTED] Mr. Dennis said the name [REDACTED] is unknown to him and he assumes that he received a copy of the correspondence in view of the fact that he is an editorial consultant for the Phi Delta Kappan, an educational magazine and has received past publicity in that he was "National Teacher of the Year in 1970.

See the following pages for copies of the correspondence that Mr. Dennis turned over to Special Agents of the FBI.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency nor duplicated within your agency.

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In the event additional information of value is developed, your agency will be advised.
Ronald Reagan-4072

ENCLOSURE

[redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373

May 15, 1972

Re: Talk vs practice.

Hon. Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
Sacramento, Ca.

Oh Governor! Hear Governor!

Granted that the Wallace assassination attempt is pathetic, it is just one more instance of the direction the U. S. has taken since the 1930's with roots in the more distant past. It is futile buck-passing cowardice to regard Arthur Bremer, or any other murderer in our country, as someone other than US. Our problems do not become solved until we fathom universal M E A L I T Y.

It was laughable to hear you whine yesterday, "Why don't they sit down and talk it over?" Yes, why don't "they" talk it over? Preaching is much easier than practice. Your remark was ignorant, stupid, ridiculous, naive.

You are afraid the poor might get something they do not deserve or did not earn and yet you show no concern over filching of billions out of the blood and bones of fellow-humans on the part of economic "royalty." And, taxes "should hurt," but on whose part? How much are you ever willing to sit down and talk these matters over with reason??? You put the disillusioned, disenchanted, and the disadvantaged in a boat with "Communists" and insist they know no language but the mailed fist. What alternative have they then but to give you the same in return? Unfortunately often others less guilty get put into your self-styled boat. with you.

On the matter of sitting down to talk it over I can cite you personal experience dating back to 1939 and before. The enclosed packet of pages can give you at least an inkling of such effort on my part--mostly with officialdom in charge just like you are as of now. Can you now condescend to sit down and communicate with me as a citizen of your great state? Why don't you either put up or shut up before someone as sick of you as I have become puts a bullet between your teeth also?

Cordially yours,

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P. S. On basis of past experience I see the past 15 minutes of my time to have been wasted because in all probability the Governor will never see this letter. You aides that shield and protect him from the exterior have no access or capability to save him from his own inbred internal rot. And, so it goes, adieu.

Ronald Reagan-4073

last year to a "surprising" 650 in 1972. No one seems to
[redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373 from [redacted] PDK potential. President John G. [redacted]
Feb. 19, 1972 [redacted] to his [redacted] administration

Dear Brother-Kappan:

I've enjoyed local PDK membership nearly two years. How many of the fellows do I really know by this time? None! How many of the 254 in our group actually know me by now? Not one! Why not? Whose fault is that? I've assumed that it's largely my own. I'm venturing thru the enclosed pages to introduce myself, such as I am. Reciprocation from each one of our 254 members would be welcome indeed. And, I'd like challenge. This could provide me--or us--many vital notes to compare; it has possibility of interesting evolvement. . . (Being listed in Who's Who in American Education, International Biography, Two Thousand Men Of Achievement, Creative & Successful Personalities, etc., like holding a statistic on either national or local PDK, tho nice, does not provide interchange of thot and spirit necessary for creative health of the human individual. More recently I've experienced participation in FORUM FOR CONTEMPORARY HISTORY that involves COMMUNICATION by personal letter distribution. This promises to be most useful. What reason is there why our local PDK could not actuate to some degree thru that kind of "thing"? As of now our chapter "fiddles" while "Rome burns.") It could spark such mutual interest--via swapping of experiences in actual life and learning. Why cringe and hide from each other or nose around in the "froth on the beer"? Underlying REALITY can be quite spontaneously relishable. A sampling sip can verify that.

Our fall conference--tho poorly attended--was very interesting to me, but it terminated abruptly ahead of schedule on grounds that those who had come from a distance had to make tracks homeward to their rabbit-holes, immediately after lunch. The final summary of the meeting was torpedoed and abandoned. Why? Was there nothing left to discuss and consider together concerning the status quo and possibilities of education and the quality of life in our country and communities in crisis? I wouldn't be surprised if those particularly eager to depart went honky-tonking till midnight anyway instead of rushing home to their schools or their wives.

Granted that there might be time for rabbit-holing and honkey-tonking but we have only two general conferences/school yr. and only one chapter meeting/mo. These C A N and ought to be palatable. They are (at least potentially) closer to R E A L I T Y than escape and diversion. What we get out of them developmentally in moral and spiritual fiber is directly proportional to input. Mankind's problem on the world scene today is essentially insensitivity to brotherhood. Have PDK'ans some part in this?

If so, then when and where C A N we proceed? By grasshopper jumps in Washington, or in the 1980's? How about coming together (integrity) more unanimously in both spirit and attendance at our meetings N O W instead of procrastinatingly going asunder, much "later than we think"? Life (learning) is where we find it--in F E A R L E S S mutually revitalizing search and concreation, not in self-seeking diversion. In brotherly fusion, not fission. In positive mutual attraction via what there is in common at heart, not by repulsion of potentially enriching differences on the periphery.

I'm highly in favor of "new blood" via influx of new members but we shouldn't lean on that externally as a crutch; the present membership needs to be ressurected by internal spinal uprightness and stamina, until the sanctity of our heritage on earth can be faced and realized. This is not a burden imposed on us as educators; it's an opportunity at our option--not a "must" but a "may."

Sincerely, [redacted] [redacted]

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Afterthot: Would it be wise for Vietnamese to go for the hint that upon submission Uncle Sam will monetarily "rehabilitate" all Southeast Asia in his own image when that image is one of inability to rehabilitate the ghettos, farms, business practices, downheartedness of the poor, and educational effectiveness of his own at home? Can rehabilitation trickle down thru Saigon-type corruption as watershed; will flooding of hard surfaces in torrents down eroding ratholes nourish grass roots in need of fertilizer, cultivation and moisture? Is the direction of natural development from the macrocosm toward the microcosm or is it vice versa?

Ronald Reagan-4074

[redacted] Redlands, 92373, Apr. 10, 1972 Re: An observation of political and religious smallness vs broader reality.

To the leadership of our Nation:

The air is now steeped rife with past myth and futuristic aircastle promises of self-seeking opportunism out to exploit once more the upcoming ballot boxes entrenched in favor of an astute incumbent.

The American Indian had his myths. The white "Christians" that pushed him off his lands in the name of God and progress had their separate myths. Myths follow also the Hindus, Moslems, Janists, Zoroastrians, Democrats, Republicans, Independents, Communism, Capitalism, and especially Militarism, the most obsolete instrument in human policy. But precisely how separate are those separate myths? And, just how separate is the seemingly separate TRUTH about mankind?

Man has always been his "brothers' keeper," world-wide, but that truth is now more evolved in the interpenetrating (inter-dependent, if you prefer) nature of modern co-existence than it was 2000 or even 200 years ago. Thinking in terms of in-group out-group pressuring and external push-pulling (coupled with halo vs condemnation) where good is generalized in the in-group and bad in the out-group is no longer practical, if it ever was. The former now needs to include every human individual to the total extinction of the latter.

Mankind needs to be "reborn" free from all fear, hate, spite, prejudice etc. in universal open spirit rather than in some cloistered dogma or earth-bound womb. Then he can be spontaneously "B R A V E" enuf to LIVE and let live. Yes, the religions of the world (like the 256 listed sects in the U. S. alone) are each assertedly "open" to all mankind, but only if mankind will line submissively thru its particular porthole. Witness what a problem this presents to President Nixon in innovating approaches to China and Russia, for instance. Missionairies have already their eagle eyes cocked to making the Chinese over in our own image---and what an image!

World-wide brotherhood (or siblinghood, if you have aversion to the unisexuality) of man cannot be artificially brought about by any high priest or authority because that pre-requires natural common source, parentage. However, happily, that does exist already in reality as celestial heritage because every human creature is offspring of the same everpresent "Creator" in the creative "image"--unless we abandon "God" to the mythical six days in the past tense alone forever (in that case men should be duplicates like interchangeable auto parts rather than each a unique individual). We only need to claim it in expanded awareness and practice. Why ascribe poverty (or partiality to "God," the image of our own being, by limiting "Him" to a one and only son?

And not even any daughters? Observe that the same universal male-female power of procreation is quite definitely present at all points of the earth, and in all probability everywhere thruout the universe. Ascribing deadness (life ^{less} to more than 99.9% of the vast universe comes back to roost in our civilization in the form of crime, quarreling, riots, and progressively more involved more total more atomic computerized wars toward oblivion, because of the macrocosm's curvature, because we're bound to reap as we sow. Why ascribe intelligence, and life, ONLY to less than 1% of universal vastness, the earth-particle, in petty parsimony? Where's our magnanimity?

Solution to problems of our nation and the world is to us more vital than who'll be our next President. And this requires deeper magnanimity and wider loyalty than either politics or religion have in store for us as of now.

How insoluble are man's problems; how essential is the crisis in human relations? It should be within his power to undo them because they're of his own making. They stem from ignominious smallness of mind and spirit that needs to EXERCISE the faith of a mustard seed. Man's whole being (the whole wide universe) will then begin to serve him. As of now he uses (creatively) less than one little finger of his potential. And petty politics, like predatory commercials, just plays on that smallness.

Ronald Reagan-4075

Sincerely yours,

April 13, 1972

Redlands Ca. 92373

Re: Man's prospect in abiding by the outmoded tradition of F E A R and its handmaiden, the gun.

Mr. James Geehan, Editor
THE SUN
San Berdino, Ca.

Dear Editor:

Salsberger's "FEAR IS ULTIMATE FORCE IN VIETNAM" today unwittingly points out that war requires "victory" of FEAR--because fear is its base and footing. And, how ultimate or how empty are the prospects for such "victory"!!!

It is fear that makes it necessary for man to pick up arms and deplete his natural, human, and economic resources in endless races of armament stockpiling (monuments to cowardice). Its allies are hate, spite, prejudice, greed, etc.

Ever since cave days man has been striving scared, to become BRAVE anuf to fight his fellow man in order to become free of him. Now that the world has "shrunk" he is even less free of neighbors than ever, unless mutual annihilation can be accomplished. Why?

We humans have thus far had the cart before the horse. We need to become free F I R S T---of fear and its allies---then we cannot help but be truly spontaneously B R A V E enuf to LIVE and let live.

Fear is an absence or void, like darness in a living room, that cannot be destroyed because it is a non-existence. But turn on the light and the darkness is gone.

It is likewise with pursuit of elongating shadows that lead us away from light. About-face and shadows will be left behind, because their existence depends on perversion, or backward use of light.

Weak emptiness of fear can be filled(displaced) with love and its allies of faith, confidence, courage, and genuine G U N L E S S strength.that is creative.

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. There is no peace in the future that is not hidden in this present little instant. Let us come out of the musty gloom of the cave into the sunlight of LIFE.

Sincerely yours,

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"There is nothing I can give you that you have not got; but there is very, very much that, while I cannot give it, you can take. No heaven can come to us unless our hearts find rest in today. Take heaven! . . .No peace lies in the future which is not hidden in this present little instant. Take peace! . . .The gloom of the world is but a shadow. Behind it, yet within our reach, is joy. There is radiance and glory even in the darkness could we but see---and to see we have only to look. I beseech you to look. . .Life is so generous a giver, but we, judging its gifts by their covering, cast them away as ugly or heavy or hard. Remove the covering, and you will find, beneath it a living splendor woven of love, by wisdom with power. Welcome it, grasp it, and you touch the angel's hand that brings it to you. Everything we call a trial, a sorrow, or a duty, believe me, that angel's hand is there; the gift is there and the wonder of an overshadowing presence. Our joys, too,---be not content with them as joys. They, too, conceal diviner gifts."

anonymous---written by a Chinese

philosopher in the 13th century, to the best of our knowledge.

Ronald Reagan-4076

[Redacted] Redlands, . 92373 Re: Idolatrous denial of universal reality--
the celestial heritage potential of man
April 7, 1972 "in His image."

Mr. [Redacted], Executive Assistant
The Billy Graham Evangelical Association
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Dear Mr. [Redacted]:

I wish to thank you kindly for your letter of 30 March.

I ponder over why you relegate the "riches of Jesus Christ" to be "unsearchable."

I find them not only searchable but even attainable--via the Christ that dwells inherently in every human creature (either dormant or activated). (Col. 1:27)

I have no doubt that God has called Dr. Graham to preach, with conviction, as he does. Then you were called to find time to communicate with me. And, God has also called even me to point out hopefully how Mr. Graham can now increase in depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty. And, please consider me not impertinent. Think not that it's all in the bag--no room for growth or improvement. God's dynamic aliveness is evidenced by the observable fact that each individual born is unique from any other individual ever born before so that he can be named and identified as, externally, that particular person and not a mere duplicate of any one previous person--in tune with the counterbalancing fact that internally (within) every individual born is part and product of the same one continuous body of all mankind; namely, LIFE that is (internally) more REAL than the "lives" that externally come and go while it continues as eternity.

No, Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be the son of God but we most certainly do goof as liars if we deny that we (every human creature) are also the siblings of that same omnipresent God with the same heritage (John 8:41)--as then we could be products of mere fornication. The human mechanism is infinitely intricate and most gloriously accurate within (the kingdom--all the good of God). It is not just that easily created by a few external movements. Each one of us is also "The way, the truth, and the life to the extent that we live it. (This is largely a matter of universally applicable "what" rather than some ego-centered "who.")

Yes, I do love God (His P R E S E N C E as all of the good within man, rather than His non-existence via relegation to "way up there," as is the prevalent tendency on the part of most of us yet today). And I love mankind as product and temple of the good (love) of God, as myself, as part of my whole body. Why do you suppose I became willing to have myself arrested and incarcerated in Washington in the 30's? However, I do aim to keep my heart and mind open to further activation and reinforcement. I'm sure there's room for greater depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty on my part. I'm eager to fathom the ocean of human awareness, broaden the horizon, raise the ceiling, and really set the human CREATIVE spirit to truly live and to grow. Even at 62 I'm still too young to be captured and/or fenced in.

I rejoice not over Jesus' death ("for me") nor the death of any other individual. It's regrettable that the high priests and authorities of his day saw Jesus as a "dangerous demented radical" and consequently executed him. It would have been much finer, more useful, for him to have lived much longer for God, country and fellowman.

The foregoing is written not with intent to contradict, offend, or subtract but rather to reinforce reality and to supplement according to need as God provides me with vision to see. I'm open to correction on anything I may have misunderstood. And I'd like challenge on any remarks or statements I've made that might be questionable.

With the very best of wishes for the Billy Graham Association,

Sincerely yours, [Redacted]

P. S. The book, PEACE WITH GOD, has not arrived yet. I'm looking forward to it.
Many hearty thanks again for writing to me, as you did.

Ronald Reagan-4077

Jan. 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Inadequacy of Social Security and
the American Way Life.

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To the heads of our Nation:

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Nearly four years ago I was once more "disabled" from my occupation--teaching and school administration--by means of a skeleton in my closet that assassinates my character. Actually it's Uncle Sam's but it's still officially labeled as mine.

After several months of thumb-twittling in frustration I found and took menial labor as janitor (assuming that if we don't get what we want, we need to want what we get). Physical check-up declared me fit for 10 or 15 more years of labor. Privately to my wife I expressed intentions of beating those figures.

The spirit was willing but the flesh of my right shoulder in particular did not pass the test (It had been once completely dislocated over 20 years previously in basketball. I had been told it would be troublesome the rest of my days.) It clunks. Beyond limited use it becomes irritated. Over the past three years I've spent many tense days and sleepless nights with it--in optimistic hope that nature will reward reward effort, that determined exercise will eventually make it strong. But continued use made the shoulder and adjoining areas increasingly tense and painful. I was forced to consider retirement.

At the Social Security office one Mrs. Goodman informed me that I'd be entitled to about \$200/mo. and about \$100 apiece for my two children--more precisely \$398/mo.

Upon due notice to my employers I made definite application, on the 62 year old basis, since my family doctor was unable to "qualify" me for disability which would have put me on the 65 year figure immediately. (His x-ray showed no pain nor loose clunking nor the tension that develops. On calcium deposits noticeable he offered to needle me with cortizone shots as other MD's had done previously--to no avail. In the past only chiropractors' massage of tenseness and their ultrasonic breaking up of calcium had given me relief. MD treatment, beyond that first relocation, has been useless as a belch in a gale. But it's the MD that's in authority.)

On the second visit to the Social Security office I was informed of a "family maximum" of \$302.80 altogether. I was left wondering why Mrs. Goodman had not brot up that "maximum." I was left pondering also the plight of those who are less fortunate than I--who have contributed less years via lower salary and might have 10 or 12 children (who had no choice of parents) instead of two. And how is one to live on \$302.80/mo. even if he has only two children? How secure is our security?

Much has gone thru my mind the past few weeks concerning years bygone and those ahead for my children. Will they find their world more trustworthy? Will they be as naive as I have been? As of now their future looks less promising despite all academic and parental nurture.

My mother died when I was 8. Father was awfully busy raising wheat and cattle, despite a crippled left hand. My two brothers and I grew up like weeds in the wilderness, from standpoint of culture and social finesse. We worked not only long hours in the fields but also at housekeeping and cooking besides.

When the finest grade of hard spring wheat went down to 25 cents/bu., we learned first hand that in America one can go to the poorhouse working himself to death while speculators wallow in millions via manipulation of markets.

And then came the drought and dust storms to wipe our life earnings to less than zero. Somehow in the meantime I did become the educated fool of the family. I was first to ever get an 8th grade diploma at our rural school. Six years as student-janitor (along with various odd jobs and house-keeping) made Ronald Reagan 4078 to complete high school, belatedly, and to obtain a B. A. degree in education.

My first teaching position (Werner, N. Dak. 1935-36) evaporated after one year, due to emigration of population via drought and dust storms.

Assistant Educational Advisorship for Western CCC company at Diston, Oregon (1936-37) ceased when CCC funds were cut. The camp was disbanded.

Teaching in the state of Washington expired after one year (1937-38) when my One-

Year Temporary Certificate became unrenuable--local graduates needed employment.
Selling Silver-Seal Kitchen utensils via demonstration dinner and health lecture had to discontinue when the manufacturer went bankrupt.

House-painting in Portland, Ore. could not continue when owners "had no money."
(Had it evaporated? Who had it cornered? Where was it? Had it become extinct?)
Grain and fruit were rotting in fields and orchards or were deliberately destroyed to bring up prices. Factories in the cities were idle, yet warehouses were bulging full. Meanwhile unfortunates were starving; they had no money for that price.

A book-full of words would not cover my interim on WPA (despite refusal to sign that required paupers' oath) to experience and study first hand that set-up in action, while taking simultaneously extension courses in Economic Research and International Economic Policies from the U. of Ore. under Dr. Victor Pierpont Morris.

Much class time was spent on the horrors of Nazism, in juxtaposition with what parasites were the WPA "loafers" that leaned on shovels--as tho they were equally horrible and consequently a product of Nazism. . . . When it became inevitable for me to divulge that I was one instance of that part and product of America and the American Way of Life that the professor and his graduate students were unwittingly degrading, even beyond the humiliation of "pauper" stigma, embarrassment to teacher and students necessitated discontinuance of my attendance. They had tho they knew precisely what was going on in Germany across the Atlantic when actually they know almost nothing even about lives of their fellow-men right under their very noses--preconception!

Congressmen (and others in charge of our nation) were just too preoccupied with big business. (Like Nero fiddling while Rome burned.)

As a last resort effort to communicate what I had seen and experienced across the country concerning involuntary unemployment and poverty in the midst of "What to do with surplus?" (of money, goods, natural and human resources, and productive capacity) I sacrificed all that I had and all that I was in getting myself arrested via a brick thru a U. S. Treasury window---with willingness to pay the penalty for my act. (I was naive enuf to think I would experience justice in hands of Government & media.)

I did get a hearing in court. I answered every one of the judge's questions without hesitation. The last one was, "What right have you to be concerned about all those millions of unemployed? (We've always had the unemployed and poor in our history.) Are you an authorized representative of an organization of the unemployed?" I answered, "Your honor, my reason is selfish. I seek security of opportunity to depend on myself for a decent living. But I happen to know that for me that security is not complete until every other citizen of our country has that same security." The laughing thigh-slapping audience seemed to enjoy my remarks very much. In embarrassment the judge motioned for the guards to remove me as he muttered something about the trial to be continued later. It was never continued.

I was incarcerated with the criminally insane behind 30-foot concrete walls in Howard Hall of St. Elizabeth's by the Potomac for three long years (Aug. 13, 1939 to Aug. 13, 1942) in suspense from day to day by means of Secret Service retainers, while Doctors Lind and Griffin in charge of me kept chanting, "We think you're ill! We think you're ill! We think you're ill!!!!"

A punch-drunk heavy-weight ex prizefighter was allowed to surprise me with a compound fracture of the jaw. I was left unattended 4 days and 5 nights. I was unable to swallow even my own saliva. But I did not die. Why not?

In due course both doctors became definitely ill instead. (Griffin had surgery for gall stones.) With more sympathetic internes substituting in charge I was better able to communicate with the outside world and as a result of investigation by Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota I did finally get release. **Ronald Reagan-4079**

Employment was now available in "cost plus" defense plants to any Tom, Dick or Harry that could walk and punch a time clock. T H A N K S to WW II.

But when the war ended, going was really tuffer than ever for this assassinated character. Nevertheless, after 10 years of absence from education, I did somehow get back to teaching and even to school superintendency, but it had to be in little one-horse towns in the Midwest and I had to move every year or two to keep ahead of that

skeleton in my closet. Also, thinking of the "liberal" for most conservative areas.

July 1966 we relocated from N. Dak. to Calif. with intentions of becoming more permanently settled so that our children would not have to be uprooted so often. Redlands looked most inviting. Subsequent to an interview on the evening Social Science I received the nicest and most encouraging letter of my life from Personnel Director, William Rosenberger. Mostly on the strength of that letter we bought a good home and settled in Redlands to stay.

The teaching position never materialized. In the meantime ultra-conservative Max Rafferty, Supt. of Pub. Instruction, requested a second set of finger prints from me. He seems to have decided that one with my record shall not teach in California.

But where do I go from here? Past character assassination caused me to retire from the teaching profession. Unbearable pain in my shoulder and related areas caused retirement from janitor work. Yet my AMA-ultra-conservative family doctor does not "qualify" me for disability. On the age 62 basis I can draw only \$151/mo. If in the meantime I earn more than \$140/mo., half will be taken away. Beyond a certain figure all will be taken. Why? Why the restriction on lingering productive capacity? There's no parallel curb on even illegitimate proceeds of wealthy.

Even cowards can take away means of livelihood from the powerless deprived. But who among our alleged leadership dares modify disbalanced and hoarding of power-hungry multimillionaires whose snowballing loot gravitates to investments abroad and to the military, that those very deprived then get drafted to promote and defend with their lives on the other side of the earth-ball. Is there wonder why we have Hippies, Yippies, and increase in drug-addiction and crime? And what family in price-mad America can live decently on \$302.84/mo. or less? A tent in the woods is not feasible.

The wallowing wealthy can draw Social Security regardless of all other income but if some poor man manages to be productive beyond \$140/mo., it will be taken away from him!! How rotten can we get for the sake of an out-dated economy? Is man to be forever sacrificed for property and big profits for the few till they rot in gluttony or C A N our economy be adapted to S E R V E mankind instead? I've given my best from age 8 up to the present--even at self-sacrifice beyond all call of duty and functional patriotism. Am I now to be further kicked in the teeth in return? Hell no!

Fool me once, shame on you; fool me twice, shame on me. But I'm not so gullible a second time. And today I'm not alone like I was in 1939. The tables are turning.

It can't be done! Uncle Sam cannot afford a decent living for every American either by due pension or thru productive capacity! !!! B U L L M A N U R E !!!--- with due apologies to the bull and to his manure!

We might say our representatives on both the state and national levels have deteriorated to conducting themselves like stinking drizzling south end of a bull going north but that would not be correct; it would not be fair to the bull nor to his south end. The bull's anatomy is in place. It performs its function--dropping excreta harmlessly on the ground to become fertilizer to grass and flowers. That's more than can be said for Washington officialdom in particular. It broadcasts moral and verbal excreta both at home and up to summit levels abroad in a manner that pollutes, poisons, and contaminates--in the interest of vain ego and false face beyond repair.

And I have respect for bull manure too because it is intelligent; it "knows" how to become nourishing to plant life. That's more than can be said for our Congress as a whole, or for Tricky-Dicky. They do not truly S E R V E our country (and theirs) because they have pursued elongating shadows until they're lost in (military) darkness.

Of course it's in the dark that we see the stars, and there are some among Congressmen, but the light they shed is not enuf. One calls for new beginning as presidential candidate but does he have inner vision enuf for today's requirements of mankind? We need a S U P that can awaken sensitivities to S P I R I T U A L and social R E A L I T Y that can claim our celestial heritage on earth as brothers' keepers.

Politics cannot solve our problems because it hinges on self-seeking profit motive. It's crude and clumsy. Man has always been his brothers' keeper but that truth is more evolved today than 2000 or 200 years ago. It's now more imperative.

Life is infinitely intricate (interpenetrating) and yet most gloriously accurate

Ronald Reagan-4080

Despite our unawareness. It promises ecstatic adventure, change to higher levels. The alternative is oblivion. Permanence (eternity) is based on consistent balanced change according to need rather than on rigid brittle changelessness.

Even sand, for instance, is "intelligent" enough to change to liquid at a specific temperature in order to become glass for our windows. And H₂O changes to liquid and to gas according to need. Otherwise it could not serve locomotion in a railroad engine nor life via rain to vegetation in perpetuation of the water cycle. If sand and H₂O did not change as required, they would probably obliterate themselves as essential elements of the universe. And the keynote is balance!!!!

One might say that those melting points of sand and H₂O are instances of changelessness. Oh yeah? They too vary according to purity and altitude. They are moving fulcrums of balance at which change does occur---less rigid, less arbitrary and much more sensitive and functional than the predatory disbalanced gluttonous profit motive that converts goods into g l u t on the market. Consistency makes the former universally applicable. What breadth of balance even a fraction of military waste could provide if converted to genuine grass-roots purchasing power!!!

If our presidential candidates were truly enlightened in the sincerity of their aspirations to serve their country (fellow-men), that would be immediately demonstrated in challenging, encouraging, enlightening and mutually uplifting each other and the American public N O W instead of defending past egos and/or promising beautifully packaged moons in an illusionary future that recedes like the horizon line.

We need heads of state that can be F E A R L E S S enmasse in underlying reality of today, with roots in the past only for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment. Why should today be left an eroding credibility canyon between dead past and illusionary future or hereafter?

Can bombs in bank vaults conceivably show how command of property can free lives and begin to serve life instead of being the object to pursue at human sacrifice?

Yes, if Tricky-Dicky and Congress could only about-face enmasse and see the light of reality still scintillating behind them in the distance!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Every American needs economic footing. It is morally imperative and socially prudent, and a sound economy requires it for functional health. As of now our economy is like a top-heavy creaking old wheel that wants to collapse because it's out of round and off balance. Its narrow base now requires artificial scarcity at sacrifice of productive capacity and general welfare. Self-less scientific cybernating service of technology has solved man's problem of production even with restricted fractional capacity. But the highly-lauded self-seeking profit system continues to fail miserably in its assigned role of merely distributing that potential blessing of product. What has happened to the moral guts and spinal stamina of those in charge of our nation---in both the public and private sectors? Is functional courage extinct?

Why a family limit to income while there's so much unused productive capacity to translate (despite irresponsible waste of it on the military)? If those SS limits were justifiable, then limits to hoarding of millions should be infinitely more so.

Without substance the "unfortunate" cannot live; without compassion and common sense the predatory affluent are already dead---but (like the turtle still running in circles after his head had been off) they do not know it.

Until every American has genuine security, it is hallucination to think that any of us has it. Why abuse and dissipate both natural and human resource? Accentuate the positive; invest in its integrity instead!

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. It is fear (hate, negativism, shadow) that puts us in discord; in faith (love, positivism, reality) we find infinity all-inclusive, all-encompassing, all-embracing---universally articulated toward full bloom---stable by dynamic breadth of balance. Exploited and/or dead bo of fellow-men make sloppy footing for our country and for the world.

God is essentially personal animation w-i-t-h-i-n, consistently complicit with the inanimate without-----in the P R E S E N T tense, or we have no credible clue of the past or future.

[redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: P R E S E N C E of deity now vs "judgment"
Dec. 29, 1971 in some future that becomes dead past.

Mr. James Geehan, Editor
THE SUN, San Bernardino, Ca.

Note: This was N O T published.

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James Restpm's "Does History Pass Moral Judgment?" is timely and yet in terms of outworn theology that dwells on dead past and illusionary future separated by eroding gap. Reality is what happens now with R O O T S in the past for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment--in elevated perspective.

Man puts deity unwittingly into past tense ("God created"--and then retired?) and into relative non-existence outside His works "way up there." And His universe is still considered devoid of "intelligent life," except for this little earth-parti-
cle. He is then further devitalized and bottle-necked into canned monopolizing form of O N E and O N L Y son to be idolized---inconsistent with valid sample of mankind. Irregularity is inadvertently inserted into the I M A G E of creativeness man could be exercising on earth instead of deceit, greed, crime and war.

Actually deity C R E A T E S today, as in the distance past, by living P R E S-
E N C E in His works, in a L I V E U N I V E R S E where every human creature is His child--son or daughter. When we learn to observe C R E A T I O N in the present tense, we find a clue as to how He (consistently) "created" in the distant past also, and likewise how we are being "judged." We cannot alter the melody of infinity. We can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences.

L I F E is more R E A L than (transitory) lives, ego, or skin-deep face of a nation. And future evaluation of the present is U N R E A L--too late, irrelevant, useless. We need to live in "His I M A G E" now rather than in shadows of it.

Sincerely yours, [redacted]

Dear Editor: Re: Thinking in essence of peace. Note: This was not published.

James Reston is constructively optimistic in his December 24 "World Gets A Little Time To Think." He says ideologies are being modified, raw materials and mar-
kets are now available without war. (Haven't they always been?) And then he con-
cludes with the question of how "...to get beyond mere absence of war to construct-
ive and cooperative peace for the whole human family."

I would say that solution to this problem requires access to "Why do we have foreign wars and why are we involved in them?" Reason: The P R O F I T M O T I V E of munitions manufacturers, ship-builders, etc. and American I N V E S T M E N T S abroad---according to a Senate investigation committee after WW II. (As reported to the NEA Convention, Denver Colo., June 1935 by Senator Gerald P. Nye, Chairman of that committee, and as published in the NEA Journal September 1935.)

Nevertheless 31 years later Senator Karl Mundt, for instance, was still expound-
ing (to NEA conventioners, Moorhead, Minn.) "Competition and the profit motives are virtues!" That Nye report has since been discredited and the carnage continues, fired by predatory greed.

Ronald Reagan-4082

Actually we need cooperation and S E R V I C E, fired by creative L O V E, as motive--with reasonable profit only incidental. Some inkling of clues on this might be available from Japan and/or the European Common Market.

If we now lack acumen to lead the world, let us at least aspire to follow what is practical. Learning is a basic process of life. Otherwise we perish.

Problem solution is available if we dare go to the R O O T cause. And necessary change from the top down (as it occurs in Japan) is preferable to eventual bloody revolution.

Sincerely yours, [redacted]

The Sun, San Bernardino, C

Re: "Impracticallity" of morals vs lack of morals b6
being the very source of our troubles. b7C

Dear Editor Geehan:

Professor Robinson's letter today, titled "'Amoral' Foreign Policy Urged" is wrong. He says, ". . . in the world of power politics there is no such thing as morality. The moment a country's foreign policy is determined by morals. . . the world is in for a lot of trouble." Isn't it that very lack of morals that is indeed giving us trouble both at home and abroad? He takes the attitude that since that is how it is, that is how it shall remain. Don't identify the leak in a sinking boat!

In his thinking, in the shadow of the military mind, he is unaware of the underlying reality that militarism is obsolete as instrument of human policy. He has pursued elongating shadows until he is lost in darkness to the extent that he doesn't know he is lost in superficiality.

He needs to about-face and head toward light (understanding) now scintillating behind him in the distance---until he arrives at obliteration of dark negativism.

Sincerely,

Note: This was published (Jan.18,1972)

Tempo, Channel 9 TV, Los Angeles Re: The actual nature of Russian effort to "bury" us.

Dear Bob (Dornan):

(Written Nov. 18, 1968.)

Your reference to the Cuba Crisis today as a case of "Eyeball To Eyeball" (militarily) is just one more instance of dangerous misunderstanding and misinformation propagation as to what really happened in that instance. It misleads us hazardously on the nature of the game Russia has been, and is, actually playing with us. Consequently we play into the "bear trap" at tremendous expense to us over and over again all the way to Vietnam and back.

Russia never intended to I N V A D E the U. S. from Cuba nor to confront our Navy on the Atlantic. That's why our navy was left shadow boxing. The intention was to make it appear on the world scene that the U. S. is a "War Monger" that does not like its own "medicine" bases at her back door as she has in regards to other nations, like those in Turkey, for instance.

You might recall that this strategy was so effective that Khrushchev was hailed "Savior of Peace" at a relatively small cost to his nation.

Also, shortly thereafter some of our Senators declared (on the Senate floor) themselves willing to take responsibility for WW III if it came, while Khrushchev was denouncing "militarism" as obsolete as "instrument of Communist policy"--from a podium in East Berlin. To me this was embarrassing on the world stage.

Why, even ultra-conservative anti-Communist David Lawrence declared the Cuba affair to have been "The Hoax of The Year"---a few months after it occurred.

It is pathetic to observe that the shadow of military-mindedness of our great nation can so completely blind even the leading officials and commentators of the subtle underlying reality of what is actually happening while we nose around in the "froth on the beer." It is sad to me indeed to see our nation so far off base in its observations and thinking, groping blindly and making much noise in futility.

May God bless us all according to our individual needs toward mutual understanding.

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan-4083

Note: I find military-mindedness so onion-strong in our country that very few ever find it possible to even consider this analysis as a remotest possibility. Consequently we as a nation become all the more vulnerable to strategy other than military. . . . Khrushchev's challenge, or threat, to "bury" us was economic--not military --but there's been irrepressible tendency to take it as military. And now we are as of this moment on the way to economic collapse via misplacement of productive capacity and natural and human resources. S T R E N G T H, on the national level in particular, has been overwhelmingly synonymous with the military---the G U N. I suppose the bank robber and the sky-jacker think likewise. What alternative pattern is there to emulate any more? There is alternative: by departure from standard negativism.

Jan. 5, 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Monopolized Institutionalization
and consequent gloom.

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Dear Editor:

Institutionalized mass media coupled with institutionalized economics and religion (in the shadow of overwhelming, the declining and obsolete, military mind) form an entrenched triangle of traditional negativism to timely change that causes the U.S. to become more and more the constipated posterior of the earth-planet on the world scene. When change does to some extent occur under pressure it lacks innovation and is consequently inadequate---lacks creative roots---is pretentious and superficial.

This seems to be sensed unwittingly by many established columnists. For instance, Jenkins Lloyd Jones (Jan. 2) under "American Picnic Drawing to a Close" says, . . . "The cold fact is that the once almighty dollar had to be clipped because Americans are losing their ability to compete."

Ernest Cuneo in his "Soft Issues and Hard Facts (Jan. 3) talks about gravest danger to our country and closes with, "Actually the world situation is moving from disastrous to catastrophic."

And Bruce Blossat (Jan. 3) hits the jackpot in "Colossal Ennue Engulfs Nation" as follows, in part:

"Nevertheless the net of it is that Americans are on the way to boring each other to stupor.

"Most television specials don't seem very special any more. . . . go over old ground.

". . . . There is a terrible lack of freshness in our approaches to problems which should challenge and stir us." Ronald Reagan-4084

In my own experience when even a limited 250 word letter to the editor dares to present more basic challenge or to supplement the voluminous ESTABLISHED columns with missing links, it hits the wastebasket like foreign litter.

Of course I'm free to own a newspaper or syndicate. Oh yeah?????

This leaves me frustrated!!! Where can I go from here? The above is all True!

But it is even more serenely true that my gloom (like the gloom of the world in general) is but shadow. The longer we pursue shadows (like justification of Vietnam, for instance) the longer they become as we journey away from light. It's better to light a candle at the least than to curse the darkness.

It behooves me to say, "Get thee behind me, shadow!" And, behold, I'm heading in the direction of light! Shadow becomes shorter behind me An inkling of joy stirs.

I do have a mimeograph. I can duplicate hundreds of copies of this letter--and also the two previous ones the editor did not publish. I can circulate these as far as possible the hard way and see what happens. I'm off dead center.

Since this began as a letter to the editor, I'll leave it as such. And since this is now beyond the (publishable) 250 word limit, I'll mimeograph it right at the start. Of course I'll still send a copy to the editor too. He might yet publish it.

Sincerely yours,

P. S. Had I been harsh on religion in putting it in cahoots with mass media and economics? A casual scan thru THE SUN however revealed (P. 3 of Section B. Jan. 5) that "Churches Reap Big Profits From Viet War, Study Shows." My own church (United Methodist) was found to have nearly 60 million invested in top military corporations.

History now reveals that whenever war occurs, be it hot or cold, truth is the first casualty and that wars are fought by subterfuge. And now I find my own church quite definitely involved in support of that subterfuge and departure from truth!!

The Lusitania was sent into the war zone with contraband to create an incident, in cold deliberation, to make Americans fighting mad. And now we find, on the front page of THE SUN (Jan 2. 1972), that FDR wanted to manufacture an incident to bring the U. S. into WW II months before Pearl Harbor. And then we heard about "Sneak Attack" And, is the Vietnam war now really being prolonged over prisoners of war?????

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Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: Obstructive beliof vs viable reality.

May 5, 1972

To the leadership of our Country: Ingroup-outgroup conflict vs greater loyalty.

Tatterrd confusion of human affairs today behooves us to seek loyalty great enuf to be common to all mankind--one that CAN ENLIST ALL universally applicable resource of thot, spirit, and material without prejudice against source, with courage enuf to discard all froth of partiality and obsolescence. Is that attainable? Isn't that the "image"-potential resident in the innermost essence of mankind?

The politician says, "no!" He relies on "balance" of FEAR for (fleeting) stalemate as "peace." His partner, the military, proclaims peace to be (coerceable) only by VICTORY of fear. The religious fanatic captures souls in fearful belief that there's no problem solution "until Jesus comes." He's wishful enuf to sit another 2000 years idolatrously looking for some literal HANDOUT to flop into his soft lap some day "soon" somehow, quoting Scripture for proof and solace. So, what's the hang-up? Where do we to from here? Is inspiration a thing of the past? S T A T E S M E N T ! ! !

Is "God" preserved in an idolized book of 2000 years ago, or engraved in a diedied figure of Jesus? Are we now celebrating His funeral by eulogizing Him away to the distant past, the hereafter, and especially to "way up there" outside His own works? If so, then of course it IS logical to ascribe lifelessness also to at least 99.9% of His works, the universe. However, stupor, and deadness then encroach overwhelmingly also on the remaining less than 1% of universal vastness, the earth-particle, precisely because of that devitalised God-image we so piously exercise as "blueprint." On universal curvature our dues come back to roost; we reap as we sow!

I urge that we open up to the reality that "God" is essentially personal animation within (the "kingdom" inherently resident in every human heart and consequently in the composite heart of the body of mankind) in consistent complicity with the inanimate without (the universal gravitation of "that in which we live and move and have our being")--in the P R E S E N T tense, if we are to have any credible clue to the past or future. I beseech that subjective sensitive reality be inserted to close the gap of eroding unreality between past and future, old and young, rich and poor, black and white, male and female. This invokes that vital umbilical cord connecting the finite with the infinite, the innermost sense of feeling in touch with creative reality, to actuate the whole body of mankind in mutual concreation as it actuates the four senses--like the thumb that backs up the four fingers to maximum usefulness.

Our time-tested Christian Bible (like "Bibles" other than Christian) can serve as guide like the manual to my lawn mower. But it's not magic nor will it live my life for me any more than the mower-manual will cut grass for me. Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be Son of God but we certainly do goof as liars when we deny that we (every human creature) are siblings likewise. Otherwise world-wide "brotherhood is nil."

Love for God and neighbor springs spontaneously when reality dawns to dispel that musty cave tradition of fear. Disarmament and peace (creative use of resources) occurs naturally when exercise of realistic (existent and PRESENT) God-image becomes general. When our leadership is enlightened in inspired aspiration to S E R V E, they enlist the miraculous potential of our cybernating mass media communicatively to that purpose. Deceptive commercials then give way to more vital evolvment.

We need to fathom magnanimity enuf to see indwelling God-P R E S E N C E from birth in every human (Buddhist, Zoroastrian, Janist, Democrat, Republican, Communist, Capitalist, or Christian--black, white, red, or yellow); inserting "Him" man-made after birth is futile. When ingroup embraces the total human race, to the extinction of outgroup boundaries, our loyalties will be broad enuf for dynamic peace on earth. It's a matter of claiming our true heritage in practice "just like it is" in eternity right where we are NOW rather than in some schizophrenic other place and/or other time where we are not. This is more essential to earthlings in inner space of human relations than in those inspiring moon walks. But the two do function in reciprocating complicity.

Our gadgets do not take us to the moon and back nor do they send messages back from million miles away; they only amplify what exists consistently wrought in CON- TIGUOUS eternity. Likewise, internally, man is not so separate from "God" or fellow human. Man's external conflict is superficial and non-essential--foam on the beach.

Nor is "God" "changeless", as the finite would have Him for convenience of reference. In that case human beings would be exact duplicates anonymously interchangeable. "He" did not solidify after the figurative six days of work. He is obviously in continuous evolvment, change, life. Consistent? Yes! But not breakable, brittle, rigid. Consistent change in infinite balance is the essence of continuous LIFE and all creation. Even the inanimate responds to need for change in order to be of SERVICE. Sand, for instance, "knows" how to change at a specific temperature (variable according to purity and altitude) in order to become glass for our windows. H₂O changes from liquid to solid or gas in order to serve as protective surface on a pond, propulsive in a locomotive, or as rain to grass and flowers in completion of the water cycle. If sand and H₂O did not change as they do, they would obliterate themselves as essential elements of the universe. It is likewise with civilizations of man.

Life is more real than lives because it continues beyond civilisations while lives just come and go as contributing parts of the perfect process of eternity.

Cordially yours, Michael Keating

I've had time, during 3 years of incarceration, to think these notions thru meditatively. Furthermore I've compelled to do so--for sake of self-survival. Our nation as a whole still has that in store.

[redacted] Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: Necessary change: where, why, how?
May 16, 1972

Dear fellow-human of Planet, Earth:

In "Change In The Secondary School: Why and How?" (Phi Delta Kappan, May 1972) Burton W. Gorman hints, secondarily, at need for change also in our "culture, society, and technology." I feel that need for change ascribed to education, by Gorman and others, applies even much more appropriately to our whole social order, since education is only one little facet or aspect of it. On pages that follow in this packet I venture to depict the nature of change required for quality of life involving leadership, mass media, our religious structuring and all our natural, human and spiritual resources in the "image" at the essence of all options of our celestial heritage on earth. What I propose is not easy to implement consequently it is ignored especially by officialdom with access to articulation of what we are as Americans in contrast with what we can and ought to be.

I begin with a published letter concerning conduct of the top politician of our country, (2) a letter (in part) to a top religious figure, and (3) a letter addressed to total nation-wide leadership on the current world scene. I follow that with background items merging into the more distant past--including my own "conditioning" via past confinement and character assassination complete. I resort to the mimeograph because my writings are seldom published--they do not cater to whims of editors and publishers. I've limited my wordage to expressions brief as possible at risk of clarity. Please read on. Sincerely yours, [redacted]

Dear Editor:

(May 3, 1972) Re: Principle vs madness

The basic principles of (Christian) Democracy are individual dignity, mutual respect, and faith in God-given intelligence and reason at solving problems. These are universally applicable and should be practiced world-wide.

Instead the U. S. exercises pride, fear stemming from that distorted dominoe theory, and frightening destructiveness of the military.

Pride is an attitude of superiority (not universally applicable) that requires inferiority for contrast, as opposed to dignity that entertains equality of principle; f e a r is an empty weakness without footing or substance; and the military is an obsolete handmaiden of fear, as opposed to f a i t h.

President Nixon Monday night referred to North Vietnam as "the enemy." But what kind of friend is a power that has put over 21,000,000 deep bomb craters in the soil of South Vietnam alone? And destruction of human lives is curiously only incidental to destruction of their footing and means of sustenance for years to come.

Even Russia and China seem now on the verge of getting together over danger of creeping madness on the part of the U. S.

North Vietnam is expected to "compromise." That word suggests reasonableness. But how much mood for compromise would we, Americans, have if some power more horrible than O U R military were putting craters in our soil in either the North or South of the U. S.? Victory of F E A R is futile in any case. Sincerely, Michael Kasberg

May 9, 1972

Rev. Billy Graham, Montreat, N. C.

Re: Natural inherent within vs artificial

"man-made" without
Ronald Reagan-4086

Reverend Sir:

I've read with much interest every word of PEACE WITH GOD. Many thanks for having it sent to me.

At this point I'm at the crossroads as to what words I should employ to correctly communicate what I feel at heart.

I do appreciate the literary quality and the degree of effort and spirit exerted to compose such a book. I wish I could say what I'm in all probability expected to say---that it turned me on completely to giving myself to Christ.

Yes, I have given myself---to the "Christ" universally everpresent in every human heart from birth to death ready to come (evolve) again, and again, and again to be recognized, entertained and exercised in practice. Love for "Christ"(God) thus is spontaneous, natural, genuine, meaningful, relevant. Love for every fellow-human as co-temple of that same common inherently-shared indwelling Christ, God, or "Father" is likewise then quite inevitable, without coercion or exhortation.

I find an isolated (unhomogeneous) published institutionalized one and only Christ of 2000 years ago---on the cross, in the grave, and now "way up there" (literally) at the right hand of a far-away man-conjured "Father almighty" much more difficult to love. He is external, not a fair sample, not one of us. I find such love at best quite superficial even tho it might be lauded and labeled as "supernatural."

O_O_O_P_S! Now, what have I done? I've slipped inadvertently into role of critic wehn my intention in sitting to this typewriter was to first get permission or invitation to make comment.....

.....There's much more I would like to say but as of now I do not yet find my way clear to do so.

Cordially yours, [redacted]

I'm left wondering who is really the "atheist," "disbeliever", or "anti-Crist"? The individual who questions man-made concoctions and idols concerning the dioty or the one who denies all "God"presence until it is artificially inserted.....

[REDACTED]
RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA - VICTIM
EXTORTION

On June 2, 1972, the Sacramento, California Office of the FBI advised that xerox copies of the correspondence received by Mr. Dennis were given to Edward V. Hickey, Jr., Director of Security for Governor Ronald Reagan at Sacramento, California.

Mr. Hickey advised that he intends, on behalf of the Governor and the State of California, to interview [REDACTED] at Redlands, California.

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On June 3, 1972, the contents of the letter were discussed with Assistant United States Attorney John M. Newman, Jr., at Los Angeles, California. Mr. Newman said he would not consider Federal prosecution of [REDACTED] for violation of the Federal Extortion Statute as the letter does not contain a clear or forthright threat to do harm. Mr. Newman was of the opinion that the letter contained at most an implied threat.

On the same date, at 3:00 p.m., Special Agent Robert Whitlock, United States Secret Service, Los Angeles, was advised of all information concerning this matter.

On June 5, 1972, Lieutenant Dennis Williams, California State Police, Los Angeles, California, was advised of Mr. Newman's opinion. Williams said he interviewed [REDACTED] at Redlands, California, on June 3, 1972. [REDACTED] admitted writing the letter to the Governor of California. Williams said it was his opinion that [REDACTED] is emotionally disturbed, but he does not appear to be violent. Williams said he has notified Lieutenant Olmos of the Redlands Police Department of the facts regarding the letter that [REDACTED] has written to Governor Reagan.

See the following pages for a copy of the report furnished by the FBI Laboratory, Washington, D.C., concerning the correspondence received by Mr. Dennis.

Ronald Reagan-4087

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Seattle

September 19, 1972

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From: Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Re

RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR
STATE OF CALIFORNIA - VICTIM;
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Your No. 9-1442

FBI File No. 9-54378

Lab. No. D-720911146 JC

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Re Seattle airtel to the Bureau, 6/5/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one (1) copy of a letter written by to RONALD REAGAN, Governor of California, as well as seven (7) mimeographed letters also presumably written by

On May 31, 1972, JOHNNIE T. DENNIS, Science Department, Walla Walla High School, Walla Walla, Washington, advised that he received a copy of the enclosed letters presumably because of his association with an educational publishing organization and felt that they should be brought to the attention of the FBI.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

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Re: Talk vs practice.

Hon. Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
Sacramento, Ca.

Oh Governor! Dear Governor!

Granted that the Waller assassination attempt is pathetic, it is just one more instance of the direction the U. S. has taken since the 1930's with roots in the most distant past. It is futile back-passing cowardice to regard Arthur Bremer, or any other murderer in our country, as someone other than US. Our problems do not become solved until we fathom universal R E A L I T Y.

It was laughable to hear you whine yesterday, "Why don't they sit down and talk it over?" Yes, why don't "they" talk it over?! Preaching is much easier than practice. Your remark was ignorant, stupid, ridiculous, naive.

You are afraid the poor might get something they do not deserve or did not earn and yet you show no concern over filching of billions out of the blood and bones of fellow-humans on the part of economic "royalty." And, taxes "should hurt," but on whose part? How much are you ever willing to sit down and talk these matters over with reason??? You put the disillusioned, disen-
chanted, and the disadvantaged in a boat with "Communists" and insist they know no language but the railed fist. What alternative have they then but to give you the same in return? Unfortunately often others less guilty get put into your self-styled boat, with you.

On the matter of sitting down to talk it over I can cite you personal experience dating back to 1936 and before. The enclosed packet of pages can give you at least an inkling of such effort on my part--mostly with officialdom in charge just like you are as of now. Can you now condescend to sit down and communicate with me as a citizen of your great state? Why don't you either put up or shut up before someone as sick of you as I have become puts a bullet between your teeth also?

Cordially yours,

[redacted]

P. S. On basis of past experience I see the past 15 minutes of my time to have been wasted because in all probability the Governor will never see this letter. You aides that shield and protect him from the exterior have no access or capability to save him from his own inbred internal rot. And, so it goes, adios.

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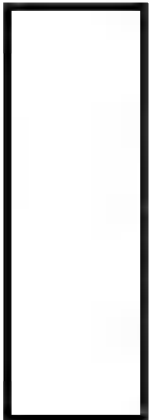
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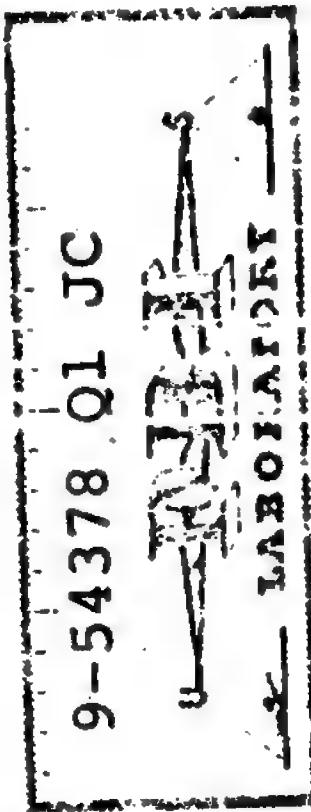
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...to accept the nature of change required for quality of life involving leadership, mass media, our religious structuring and all our natural, human and spiritual resources in the "image" at the essence of all options of our celestial heritage on earth. What I propose is not easy to implement consequently it is ignored especially by officialdom with access to articulation of what we are as Americans in contrast with what we can and ought to be.

I begin with a published letter concerning conduct of the top politician of our country, (2) a letter (in part) to a top religious figure, and (3) a letter addressed to total nation-wide leadership on the current world scene. I follow that with background items merging into the more distant past--including my own "conditioning" via past confinement and character assassination complete. I resort to the mimeograph because my writings are seldom published--they do not cater to whims of editors and publishers. I've limited my wordage to expressions brief as possible at risk of clarity. Please read on. Sincerely yours, [redacted]

Dear Editor: (May 3, 1972) Re: [redacted]

The basic principles of (Christian) Democracy are individual dignity, mutual respect, and faith in God-given intelligence and reason at solving problems. These are universally applicable and should be practiced world-wide.

Instead the U. S. exercises pride, fear stemming from that distorted domino theory, and frightening destructiveness of the military.

Pride is an attitude of superiority (not universally applicable) that requires inferiority for contrast, as opposed to dignity that entertains equality of principle; f e a r is an empty weakness without footing or substance; and the military is an obsolete handmaiden of fear, as opposed to f a i t h.

President Nixon Monday night referred to North Vietnam as "the enemy." But what kind of friend is a power that has put over 21,000,000 deep bomb craters in the soil of South Vietnam alone? And destruction of human lives is curiously only incidental to destruction of their footing and means of sustenance for years to come.

Even Russia and China seem now on the verge of getting together over danger of creeping madness on the part of the U. S.

North Vietnam is expected to "compromise." That word suggests reasonableness. But how much mood for compromise would we, Americans, have if some power more horrible than O U R military were putting craters in our soil in either the North or South of the U. S.? Victory of F E A R is futile in any case. Sincerely, Michael Kasberg

May 9, 1972

Re: Natural inherent within vs artificial "man-made" without.

Rev. Billy Graham, Montreat, N. C.

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Reverend Sir:

I've read with much interest every word of PEACE WITH GOD. Many thanks for having it sent to me.

At this point I'm at the crossroads as to what words I should employ to correctly communicate what I feel at heart.

I do appreciate the literary quality and the degree of effort and spirit exerted to compose such a book. I wish I could say what I'm in all probability expected to say---that it turned me on completely to giving myself to Christ.

Yes, I have given myself---to the "Christ" universally everpresent in every human heart from birth to death ready to come (evolve) again, and again, and again to be recognized, entertained and exercised in practice. Love for "Christ"(God) thus is spontaneous, natural, genuine, meaningful, relevant. Love for every fellow-human as co-temple of that same common inherently-shared indwelling Christ, God, or "Father" is likewise then quite inevitable, without coercion or exhortation.

I find an isolated (unhomogeneous) published institutionalized one and only Christ of 2000 years ago---on the cross, in the grave, and now "way up there" (literally) at the right hand of a far-away man-conjured "Father almighty" much more difficult to love. He is external, not a fair sample, not one of us. I find such love at best quite superficial even tho it might be lauded and labeled as "supernatural."

O_O_O_P_S! Now, what have I done? I've slipped inadvertently into role of critic when my intention in sitting to this typewriter was to first get permission or invitation to make comment.....

.....There's much more I would like to say but as of now I do not yet find my way clear to do so. Cordially yours, [redacted]

.....Wondering who is really the "atheist," "disbeliever", or "anti-Crist"? The divisive and questions man-made concoctions and idols concerning the deity or

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Re: Inadequacy of Social Security and
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To the heads of our Nation:

Nearly four years ago I was once more "disabled" from my occupation--teaching and school administration--by means of a skeleton in my closet that assassinates my character. Actually it's Uncle Sam's but it's still officially labeled as mine.

After several months of thumb-twittling in frustration I found and took menial labor as janitor (assuming that if we don't get what we want, we need to want what we get). Physical check-up declared me fit for 10 or 15 more years of labor. Privately to my wife I expressed intentions of beating those figures.

The spirit was willing but the flesh of my right shoulder in particular did not pass the test (It had been once completely dislocated over 20 years previously in basketball. I had been told it would be troublesome the rest of my days.) It clunks. Beyond limited use it becomes irritated. Over the past three years I've spent many tense days and sleepless nights with it--in optimistic hope that nature will reward reward effort, that determined exercise will eventually make it strong. But continued use made the shoulder and adjoining areas increasingly tense and painful. I was forced to consider retirement.

At the Social Security office one Mrs. Goodman informed me that I'd be entitled to about \$200/mo. and about \$100 apiece for my two children--more precisely \$398/mo.

Upon due notice to my employers I made definite application, on the 62 year old basis, since my family doctor was unable to "qualify" me for disability which would have put me on the 65 year figure immediately. (His x-ray showed no pain nor loose clunking nor the tension that develops. On calcium deposits noticeable he offered to needle me with cortizone shots as other MD's had done previously--to no avail. In the past only chiropractors' massage of tenseness and their ultrasonic breaking up of calcium had given me relief. MD treatment, beyond that first relocation, has been useless as a belch in a gale. But it's the MD that's in authority.)

On the second visit to the Social Security office I was informed of a "family maximum" of \$302.80 altogether. I was left wondering why Mrs. Goodman had not brot up that "maximum." I was left pondering also the plight of those who are less fortunate than I--who have contributed less years via lower salary and might have 10 or 12 children (who had no choice of parents) instead of two. And how is one to live on \$302.80/mo. even if he has only two children? How secure is our security?

Much has gone thru my mind the past few weeks concerning years bygone and those ahead for my children. Will they find their world more trustworthy? Will they be as naive as I have been? As of now their future looks less promising despite all academic and parental nurture.

My mother died when I was 8. Father was awfully busy raising wheat and cattle, despite a crippled left hand. My two brothers and I grew up like weeds in the wilderness, from standpoint of culture and social finesse. We worked not only long hours in the fields but also at housekeeping and cooking besides.

When the finest grade of hard spring wheat went down to 25 cents/bu., we learned first hand that in America one can go to the poorhouse working himself to death while speculators wallow in millions via manipulation of markets.

And then came the drought and dust storms to wipe our life earnings to less than zero. Somehow in the meantime I did become the educated fool of the family. I was first to ever get an 8th grade diploma at our rural school. Six years as student-janitor (along with various odd jobs and housekeeping) made it possible for me to complete high school, belatedly, and to obtain a B. A. degree in education.

My first teaching position (Werner, N. Dak. 1935-36) evaporated after one year, due to emigration of population via drought and dust storms.

Assistant Educational Advisorship for a Boston CCC company at Diston, Oregon (1936-37) ceased when CCC funds were cut and the camp was disbanded.

Teaching in the state of Washington expired after one year (1937-38) when my C.

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Year Temporary Certificate became unrenovable--local graduates needed employment.
Selling Silver-Seal kitchen utensils via demonstration dinner and health lecture had to discontinue when the manufacturer went bankrupt.

House-painting in Portland, Ore. could not continue when owners "had no money."
(Had it evaporated? Who had it cornered? Where was it? Had it become extinct?)

Grain and fruit were rotting in fields and orchards or were deliberately destroyed to bring up price. Factories in the cities were idle, yet warehouses were bulging full. Meanwhile unfortunates were starving; they had no money for that price.

A book-full of words would not cover my interim on WPA (despite refusal to sign that required paupers' oath) to experience and study first hand that set-up in action, while taking simultaneously extension courses in Economic Research and International Economic Policies from the U. of Ore. under Dr. Victor Pierpont Morris.

Much class time was spent on the horrors of Naziism, in juxtaposition with what parasites were the WPA "loafers" that leaned on shovels--as tho they were equally horrible and consequently a product of Naziism. . . When it became inevitable for me to divulge that I was one instance of that part and product of America and the American Way of Life that the professor and his graduate students were unwittingly degrading, even beyond the humiliation of "pauper" stigma, embarrassment to teacher and students necessitated discontinuance of my attendance. They had tho they knew precisely what was going on in Germany across the Atlantic when actually they knew almost nothing even about lives of their fellow-men right under their very noses---preconception!

Congressmen (and others in charge of our nation) were just too preoccupied with big business. (Like Nero fiddling while Rome burned.)

As a last resort effort to communicate what I had seen and experienced across the country concerning involuntary unemployment and poverty in the midst of "What to do with surplus?" (of money, goods, natural and human resources, and productive capacity) I sacrificed all that I had and all that I was in getting myself arrested via a brick thru a U. S. Treasury window---with willingness to pay the penalty for my act. (I was naive enuf to think I would experience justice in hands of Government & media.)

I did get a hearing in court. I answered every one of the judge's questions without hesitation. The last one was, "What right have you to be concerned about all those millions of unemployed? (We've always had the unemployed and poor in our history.) Are you an authorized representative of an organization of the unemployed?" I answered, "Your honor, my reason is selfish. I seek security of opportunity to depend on myself for a decent living. But I happen to know that for me that security is not complete until every other citizen of our country has that same security." The laughing thigh-slapping audience seemed to enjoy my remarks very much. In embarrassment the judge motioned for the guards to remove me as he muttered something about the trial to be continued later. It was never continued.

I was incarcerated with the criminally insane behind 30-foot concrete walls in Howard Hall of St. Elizabeth's by the Potomac for three long years (Aug. 13, 1939 to Aug. 13, 1942) in suspense from day to day by means of Secret Service retainers, while Doctors Lind and Griffin in charge of me kept chanting, "We think you're ill! We think you're ill! We think you're ill!!!!"

A punch-drunk heavy-weight ex prizefighter was allowed to surprise me with a compound fracture of the jaw. I was left unattended 4 days and 5 nights. I was unable to swallow even my own saliva. But I did not die. Why not?

In due course both doctors became definitely ill instead. (Griffin had surgery for gall stones.) With more sympathetic internes substituting in charge I was better able to communicate with the outside world and as a result of investigation by Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota I did finally get released.

Employment was now available in "cost plus" defense plants to any Tom, Dick or Harry that could walk and punch a time clock, T H A N K S to WW II.

But when the war ended, going was really tuffer than ever for this assassinated character. Nevertheless, after 10 years of absence from education, I did somehow get back to teaching and even to school superintendency, but it had to be in little one-horse towns in the Midwest and I had to move every year or two to keep ahead of that

skeleton in my closet. Also my thinking was "liberal" for most conservative areas.

July 1966 we relocated from N. Dak. to Calif. with intentions of being more permanently settled so that our children would not have to be uprooted so often. Redlands looked most inviting. Subsequent to an interview on teaching Social Science I received the nicest and most encouraging letter of my life from Personnel Director, William Rosenberger. Mostly on the strength of that letter we bought a good home and settled in Redlands to stay.

The teaching position never materialized. In the meantime ultra-conservative Max Rafferty, Supt. of Pub. Instruction, requested a second set of finger prints from me. He seems to have decided that one with my record shall not teach in California.

But where do I go from here? Past character assassination caused me to retire from the teaching profession. Unbearable pain in my shoulder and related areas caused retirement from janitor work. Yet my AMA-ultra-conservative family doctor does not "qualify" me for disability. On the age 62 basis I can draw only \$151/mo. If in the meantime I earn more than \$140/mo., half will be taken away. Beyond a certain figure all will be taken, Why? Why the restriction on lingering productive capacity? There's no parallel curb on even dubious proceeds of wealthy.

Even cowards can take away means of livelihood from the powerless deprived. But who among our alleged leadership dares modify disbalanced and hoarding of power-hungry multimillionaires whose snowballing loot gravitates to investments abroad and to the military, that those very deprived then get drafted to promote and defend with their lives on the other side of the earth-ball. Is there wonder why we have Hippies, Yippies, and increase in drug-addiction and crime? And what family in price-mad America can live decently on \$302.84/mo. or less? A tent in the woods is not feasible.

The wallowing wealthy can draw Social Security regardless of all other income but if some poor man manages to be productive beyond \$140/mo., it will be taken away from him!! How rotten can we get for the sake of an out-dated economy? Is man to be forever sacrificed for property and big profits for the few till they rot in gluttony or C A N our economy be adapted to S E R V E mankind instead? I've given my best from age 8 up to the present--even at self-sacrifice beyond all call of duty and functional patriotism. Am I now to be further kicked in the teeth in return? Hell no!

Fool me once, shame on you; fool me twice, shame on me. But I'm not so gullible a second time. And today I'm not alone like I was in 1939. The tables are turning.

It can't be done! Uncle Sam cannot afford a decent living for every American either by due pension or thru productive capacity! !!! BULL MANURE!!!--- with due apologies to the bull and to his manure!

We might say our representatives on both the state and national levels have deteriorated to conducting themselves like stinking drizzling south^hend of a bull going north but that would not be correct; it would not be fair to the bull nor to his south end. The bull's anatomy is in place. It performs its function--dropping excreta harmlessly on the ground to become fertilizer to grass and flowers. That's more than can be said for Washington officialdom in particular. It broadcasts moral and verbal excreta both at home and up to summit levels abroad in a manner that pollutes, poisons, and contaminates--in the interest of vain ego and false face beyond repair.

And I have respect for bull manure too because it is intelligent; it "knows" how to become nourishing to plant life. That's more than can be said for our Congress as a whole, or for Tricky-Dicky. They do not truly S E R V E our country (and theirs) because they have pursued elongating shadows until they're lost in (military) darkness.

Of course it's in the dark that we see the stars, and there are some among Congressmen, but the light they shed is not enuf. One calls for new beginning as presidential candidate but does he have inner vision enuf for today's requirements of mankind? We need a S U N that can awaken sensitivities to S P I R I T U A L and social R E A L I T Y that can claim our celestial heritage on earth as brothers' keepers.

Politics cannot solve our problems because it hinges on self-seeking profit motive. It's crude and clumsy. Man has always been his brothers' keeper but that truth is more evolved today than 2000 or 200 years ago. It's now more imperative.

Life is infinitely intricate (interpenetrating) and yet most gloriously accurate.

Despite our unawareness. It promises ecstatic adventure, via change to higher levels. The alternative is oblivion. Permanence (eternity) is based on consistent balanced change according to need rather than on rigid brittle changelessness.

Even sand, for instance, is "intelligent" enuf to change to liquid at a specific temperature in order to become glass for our windows. And H_2O changes to liquid and to gas according to need. Otherwise it could not serve locomotion in a railroad engine nor life via rain to vegetation in perpetuation of the water cycle. If sand and H_2O did not change as required, they would probably obliterate themselves as essential elements of the universe. And the keynote is balance!!!!

One might say that those melting points of sand and H_2O are instances of changelessness. Oh yeah? They too vary according to purity and altitude. They are moving fulcrums of balance at which change does occur---less rigid, less arbitrary and much more sensitive and functional than the predatory disbalanced gluttonous profit motive that converts goods into g l u t on the market. Consistency makes the former universally applicable. What breadth of balance even a fraction of military waste could provide if converted to genuine grass-roots purchasing power!!!

If our presidential candidates were truly enlightened in the sincerity of their aspirations to serve their country (fellow-men), that would be immediately demonstrated in challenging, encouraging, enlightening and mutually uplifting each other and the American public N O W instead of defending past egos and/or promising beautifully packaged moons in an illusionary future that recedes like the horizon line.

We need heads of state that can be F E A R L E S S enmasse in underlying reality of today, with roots in the past only for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment. Why should today be left an eroding credibility canyon between dead past and illusionary future or hereafter?

Can bombs in bank vaults conceivably show how command of property can free lives and begin to serve life instead of being the object to pursue at human sacrifice?

Yes, if Tricky-Dicky and Congress could only about-face enmasse and see the light of reality still scintillating behind them in the distance!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Every American needs economic footing. It is morally imperative and socially prudent, and a sound economy requires it for functional health. As of now our economy is like a top-heavy creaking old wheel that wants to collapse because it's out of round and off balance. Its narrow base now requires artificial scarcity at sacrifice of productive capacity and general welfare. Self-less scientific cybernating service of technology has solved man's problem of production even with restricted fractional capacity. But the highly-lauded self-seeking profit system continues to fail miserably in its assigned role of merely distributing that potential blessing of product. What has happened to the moral guts and spinal stamina of those in charge of our nation---in both the public and private sectors? Is functional courage extinct?

Why a family limit to income while there's so much unused productive capacity to translate (despite irresponsible waste of it on the military)? If those SS limits were justifiable, then limits to hoarding of millions should be infinigely more so.

Without substance the "unfortunate" cannot live; without compassion and common sense the predatory affluent are already dead---but (like the turtle still running in circles after his head had been off) they do not know it.

Until every American has genuine security, it is hallucination to think that any of us has it. Why abuse and dissipate both natural and human resource? Accentuate the positive; invest in its integrity instead! Ronald Reagan-4105

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. It is fear (hate, negativism, shadow) that puts us in discord; in faith (love, positivism, reality) we find infinity all-inclusive, all-encompassing, all-embracing--universally articulated toward full bloom--stable by dynamic breadth of balance. Exploited and/or dead bodies of fellow-men make sloppy footing for our country and for the world.

God is essentially personal animation w-i-t-h-i-n, consistently complicit with the inanimate without-----in the P R E S E N T tense, or we have no credible clue to the past or future.

April 7, 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Idolatrous denial of universal reality--
the celestial heritage potential of man
"in His image."

Mr. _____, Executive Assistant
The Billy Graham Evangelical Association
1300 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, Minn. 55403

Dear Mr. _____:

I wish to thank you kindly for your letter of 30 March.

I ponder over why you relegate the "riches of Jesus Christ" to be "unsearchable."
I find them not only searchable but even attainable--via the Christ that dwells inherently in every human creature (either dormant or activated). (Col. 1:27)

I have no doubt that God has called Dr. Graham to preach, with conviction, as he does. Then you were called to find time to communicate with me. And, God has also called even me to point out hopefully how Mr. Graham can now increase in depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty. And, please consider me not impertinent. Think not that it's all in the bag--no room for growth or improvement. God's dynamic aliveness is evidenced by the observable fact that each individual born is unique from any other individual ever born before so that he can be named and identified as, externally, that particular person and not a mere duplicate of any one previous person--in tune with the counterbalancing fact that internally (within) every individual born is part and product of the same one continuous body of all mankind; namely, LIFE that is (internally) more REAL than the "lives" that externally come and go while it continues as eternity.

No, Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be the son of God but we most certainly do goof as liars if we deny that we (every human creature) are also the siblings of that same omnipresent God with the same heritage (John 8:41)--as though we could be products of mere fornication. The human mechanism is infinitely intricate and most gloriously accurate within (the kingdom--all the good of God). It is not just that easily created by a few external movements. Each one of us is also "The way, the truth, and the life to the extent that we live it. (This is largely a matter of universally applicable "what" rather than some ego-centered "who.")

Yes, I do love God (His P R E S E N C E as all of the good within man, rather than His non-existence via relegation to "way up there," as is the prevalent tendency on the part of most of us yet today). And I love mankind as product and temple of the good (love) of God, as myself, as part of my whole body. Why do you suppose I became willing to have myself arrested and incarcerated in Washington in the 30's? However, I do aim to keep my heart and mind open to further activation and reinforcement. I'm sure there's room for greater depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty on my part. I'm eager to fathom the ocean of human awareness; broaden the horizon, raise the ceiling, and really set the human CREATIVE spirit to truly live and to grow. Even at 62 I'm still too young to be captured and/or fenced in.

I rejoice not over Jesus' death ("for me") nor the death of any other individual. It's regrettable that the high priests and authorities of his day saw Jesus as a "dangerous demented radical" and consequently executed him. It would have been much finer, more useful, for him to have lived much longer for God, country and fellowman.

The foregoing is written not with intent to contradict, offend, or subtract but rather to reinforce reality and to supplement according to need as God provides me with vision to see. I'm open to correction on anything I may have misunderstood. And I'd like challenge on any remarks or statements I've made that might be questionable.

With the very best of wishes for the Billy Graham Association,

Sincerely yours, _____

P. S. The book, PEACE WITH GOD, has not arrived yet. I'm looking forward to it.
Many hearty thanks again for writing to me, as you did.

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To the leadership of our Country: Ingroup-outgroup conflict vs greater loyalty.

Tattered confusion of human affairs today behooves us to seek loyalty great enuf to be common to all mankind--one that CAN ENLIST ALL universally applicable resource of thot, spirit, and material without prejudice against source, with courage enuf to discard all froth of partiality and obsolescence. Is that attainable? Isn't that the "image"-potential resident in the innermost essence of mankind?

The politician says, "no!" He relies on "balance" of FEAR for (fleeting) stalemate as "peace." His partner, the military, proclaims peace to be (coerceable) only by VICTORY of fear. The religious fanatic captures souls in fearful belief that there's no problem solution "until Jesus comes." He's wishful enuf to sit another 2000 years idolatrously looking for some literal HANDOUT to flop into his soft lap some day "soon" somehow, quoting Scripture for proof and solace. So, what's the hang-up? Where do we to from here? Is inspiration a thing of the past? S T A T E S M E N T ! ! !

Is "God" preserved in an idolized book of 2000 years ago, or engraved in a diefied figure of Jesus? Are we now celebrating His funeral by eulogizing Him away to the distant past, the hereafter, and especially to "way up there" outside His own works? If so, then of course it IS logical to ascribe lifelessness also to at least 99.9% of His works, the universe. However, stupor, and deadness then encroach overwhelmingly also on the remaining less than 1% of universal vastness, the earth-particle, precisely because of that devitalised God-image we so piously exercise as "blueprint." On universal curvature our dues come back to roost; we reap as we sow.

I urge that we open up to the reality that "God" is essentially personal animation within (the "kingdom" inherently resident in every human heart and consequently in the composite heart of the body of mankind) in consistent complicity with the inanimate without (the universal gravitation of "that in which we live and move and have our being")--in the P R E S E N T tense, if we are to have any credible clue to the past or future. I beseech that subjective sensitive reality be inserted to close the gap of eroding unreality between past and future, old and young, rich and poor, black and white, male and female. This invokes that vital umbilical cord connecting the finite with the infinite, the innermost sense of feeling in touch with creative reality, to actuate the whole body of mankind in mutual concreation as it actuates the four senses--like the thumb that backs up the four fingers to maximum usefulness.

Our time-tested Christian Bible (like "Bibles" other than Christian) can serve as guide like the manual to my lawn mower. But it's not magic nor will it live my life

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There matters than meditatively. Furthermore, I am

for me any more than the mower-manual will cut grass for me. Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be Son of God but we certainly do goof as liars when we deny that we (every human creature) are siblings likewise. Otherwise world-wide "brotherhood is nil.

Love for God and neighbor springs spontaneously when reality dawns to dispel that musty cave tradition of fear. Disarmament and peace (creative use of resources) occurs naturally when exercise of realistic (existent and PRESENT) God-image becomes general. When our leadership is enlightened in inspired aspiration to S E R V E, they enlist the miraculous potential of our cybernating mass media communicatively to that purpose. Deceptive commercials then give way to more vital involvement.

We need to fathom magnanimity enuf to see indwelling God-P R E S E N C E from birth in every human (Buddhist, Zoroastrian, Janist, Democrat, Republican, Communist, Capitalist, or Christian--black, white, red, or yellow); inserting "Him" man-made after birth is futile. When ingroup embraces the total human race, to the extinction of out-group boundaries, our loyalties will be broad enuf for dynamic peace on earth. It's a matter of claiming our true heritage in practice "just like it is" in eternity right where we are NOW rather than in some schizophrenic other place and/or other time where we are not. This is more essential to earthlings in inner space of human relations than in those inspiring moon walks. But the two do function in reciprocating complicity.

Our gadgets do not take us to the moon and back nor do they send messages back from $\frac{1}{2}$ million miles away; they only amplify what exists consistently wrought in CON_TIGUOUS eternity. Likewise, internally, man is not so separate from "God" or fellow human. Man's external conflict is superficial and non-essential--foam on the beach.

Nor is "God" "changeless", as the finite would have Him for convenience of reference. In that case human beings would be exact duplicates anonymously interchangeable. "He" did not solidify after the figurative six days of work. He is obviously in continuous evolvment, change, life. Consistent? Yes! But not breakable, brittle, rigid. Consistent change in infinite balance is the essence of continuous LIFE and all creation. Even the inanimate responds to need for change in order to be of SERVICE. Sand, for instance, "knows" how to change at a specific temperature (variable according to purity and altitude) in order to become glass for our windows. H₂O changes from liquid to solid or gas in order to serve as protective surface on a pond, propulsive in a locomotive, or as rain to grass and flowers in completion of the water cycle. If sand and H₂O did not change as they do, they would obliterate themselves as essential elements of the universe. It is likewise with civilizations of man.

Life is more real than lives because it continues beyond civilisations while lives just come and go as contributing parts of the perfect process of eternity.

Cordially yours. [redacted]

Every member of mankind is the truth, and the life "via the Christ" within from birth to the extent that he lives it, as did the gods. Likewise for every nation, even China.

I've had time, during 3 years of incarceration, to think
compelled to do so for sake of self-survival. Our

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[redacted] Redlands, Ca. 92373

May 16, 1972

Re: Talk vs practice.

Hon. Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
Sacramento, Ca.

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Oh Governor! Dear Governor!

Granted that the Wallace assassination attempt is pathetic, it is just one more instance of the direction the U. S. has taken since the 1930's with roots in the more distant past. It is futile buck-passing cowardice to regard Arthur Bremer, or any other murderer in our country, as someone other than US. Our problems do not become solved until we fathom universal R E A L I T Y.

It was laughable to hear you whine yesterday, "Why don't they sit down and talk it over?" Yes, why don't "they" talk it over?! Preaching is much easier than practice. Your remark was ignorant, stupid, ridiculous, naive.

You are afraid the poor might get something they do not deserve or did not earn and yet you show no concern over filching of billions out of the blood and bones of fellow-humans on the part of economic "royalty." And, taxes "should hurt," but on whose part? How much are you ever willing to sit down and talk these matters over with reason??? You put the disillusioned, disenfranchised, and the disadvantaged in a boat with "Communists" and insist they know no language but the mailed fist. What alternative have they then but to give you the same in return? Unfortunately often others less guilty get put into your self-styled boat. with you.

On the matter of sitting down to talk it over I can cite you personal experience dating back to 1939 and before. The enclosed packet of pages can give you at least an inkling of such effort on my part--mostly with officialdom in charge just like you are as of now. Can you now condescend to sit down and communicate with me as a citizen of your great state? Why don't you either put up or shut up before someone as sick of you as I have become puts a bullet between your teeth also?

Cordially yours,

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P. S. On basis of past experience I see the past 15 minutes of my time to have been wasted because in all probability the Governor will never see this letter. You aides that shield and protect him from the exterior have no access or capability to save him from his own inbred internal rot. And, so it goes, adios.

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[Redacted] Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: P R E S E N C E of deity now vs "judgment"
Dec. 29, 1971 in some future that becomes dead past.

Mr. James Geehan, Editor
THE SUN, San Bernardino, Ca.

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James Restpm's "Does History Pass Moral Judgment?" is timely and yet in terms of outworn theology that dwells on dead past and illusionary future separated by creching gap. Reality is what happens now with R O O T S in the past for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment--in elevated perspective.

Man puts deity unwittingly into past tense ("God created"--and then retired?) and into relative non-existence outside His works "way up there." And His universe is still considered devoid of "intelligent life," except for this little earth-parti- cle. He is then further devitalized and bottle-necked into canned monopolizing form of O N E and C N L Y son to be idolized---inconsistent with valid sample of mankind. Irregularity is inadvertently inserted into the I M A G E of creativeness man could be exercising on earth instead of deceit, greed, crime and war.

Actually deity C R E A T E S today, as in the distance past, by living P R E S- E N C E in His works, in a L I V E U N I V E R S E where every human creature is His child--son or daughter. When we learn to observe C R E A T I O N in the present tense, we find a clue as to how He (consistently) "created" in the distant past also, and likewise how we are being "judged." We cannot alter the melody of infinity. We can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences.

L I F E is more R E A L than (transitory) lives, ego, or skin-deep face of a nation. And future evaluation of the present is U N R E A L--too late, irrelevant, useless. We need to live in "His I M A G E" now rather than in shadows of it.

Sincerely yours, [Redacted]

Dear Editor: Re: Thinking in essence of peace. Note: This was not published.

James Reston is constructively optimistic in his December 24 "World Gets A Little Time To Think." He says ideologies are being modified, raw materials and mar- kets are now available without war. (Haven't they always been?) And then he con- cludes with the question of how ". . . to get beyond mere absence of war to construct- ive and cooperative peace for the whole human family."

I would say that solution to this problem requires access to "Why do we have foreign wars and why are we involved in them?" Reason: The P R O F I T M O T I V E of munitions manufacturers, ship-builders, etc. and American I N V E S T M E N T S abroad---according to a Senate investigation committee after WW II. (As reported to the NEA Convention, Denver Colo., June 1935 by Senator Gerald P. Nye, Chairman of that committee, and as published in the NEA Journal September 1935.)

Nevertheless 31 years later Senator Karl Mundt, for instance, was still expound- ing (to MEA conventioners, Moorhead, Minn.) "Competition and the profit motives are virtues!" That Nye report has since been discredited and the carnage continues, fired by predatory greed.

Actually we need cooperation and S E R V I C E, fired by creative L O V E, as motive--with reasonable profit only incidental. Some inkling of clues on this might be available from Japan and/or the European Common Market.

If we now lack acumen to lead the world, let us at least aspire to follow what is practical. Learning is a basic process of life. Otherwise we perish.

Problem solution is available if we dare go to the R O O T cause. And necessary change from the top down (as it occurs in Japan) is preferable to eventual bloody revolution.

Sincerely yours, [Redacted]

Ronald Reagan-4110

Jan. 5, 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Monopolized institutionalization
and consequent gloom.

Dear Editor:

Institutionalized mass media coupled with institutionalized economics and religion (in the shadow of overwhelming, the declining and obsolete, military mind) form an entrenched triangle of traditional negativism to timely change that causes the U.S. to become more and more the constipated posterior of the earth-planet on the world scene. When change does to some extent occur under pressure it lacks innovation and is consequently inadequate---lacks creative roots---is pretentious and superficial.

This seems to be sensed unwittingly by many established columnists. For instance, Jenkins Lloyd Jones (Jan. 2) under "American Picnic Drawing to a Close" says, . . . "The cold fact is that the once almighty dollar had to be clipped because Americans are loosing their ability to compete."

Ernest Cuneo in his "Soft Issues and Hard Facts (Jan. 3) talks about gravest danger to our coutry and closes with, "Actually the world situation is moving from disastrous to catastrophic."

And Bruce Blossat (Jan. 3) hits the jackpot in "Colossal Ennue Engulfs Nation" as follows, in part:

"Nevertheless the net of it is that Americans are on the way to boring each other to stupor.

"Most television specials don't seem very special any more. . . .
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". . . There is a terrible lack of freshness in our approaches to problems which should challenge and stir us."

In my own experience when even a limited 250 word letter to the editor dares to present more basic challenge or to supplement the voluminous E S T A B L I S H E D columns with missing links, it hits the wastebasket like foreign litter.

Of course I'm free to own a newspaper or syndicate. Oh yeah?????

This leaves me frustrated!!! Where can I go from here? The above is all True!

But it is even more serenely true that my gloom (like the gloom of the world in general) is but shadow. The longer we pursue shadows (like justification of Vietnam, for instance) the longer they become as we journey away from light. It's better to light a candle at the least than to curse the darkness.

It behooves me to say, "Get thee behind me, shadow!" And, behold, I'm heading in the direction of light! Shadow becomes shorter behind me An inkling of joy stirs.

I do have a mimeograph. I can duplicate hundreds of copies of this letter--and also the two previous ones the editor did not publish. I can circulate these as far as possible the hard way and see what happens. I'm off dead center.

Since this began as a letter to the editor, I'll leave it as such. And since this is now beyond the (publishable) 250 word limit, I'll mimeograph it right at the start. Of course I'll still send a copy to the editor too. He might yet publish it.

Sincerely yours,

P. S. Had I been harsh on religion in putting it in cahoots with mass media and economics? A casual scan thru THE SUN however revealed (P. 3 of Section B. Jan. 5) that "Churches Reap Big Profits From Viet War, Study Shows." My own church (United Methodist) was found to have nearly 60 million invested in top military corporations.

History now reveals that whenever war occurs, be it hot or cold, truth is the first casualty and that wars are fought by subterfuge. And now I find my own church quite definitely involved in support of that subterfuge and departure from truth!!

The Lusitania was sent into the war zone with contraband to create an incident, in cold deliberation, to make Americans fighting mad. And now we find, on the front page of THE SUN (Jan 2, 1972), that FDR wanted to manufacture an incident to bring the U. S. into W! II months before Pearl Harbor. And then we heard about "Sneak Attack"

And, is the Vietnam war now really being prolonged over prisoners of war?????

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Our spring conference attendance in March jumped from a little 350 last year to an unexpected "surprising" 650 in 1972. No one seems to know really what PDK potential. President John G. Thompson jokingly credited it to his "good administration".

Feb. 19, 1972

Dear Brother-Kappan:

I've enjoyed local PDK membership nearly two years. How many of the fellows do I really know by this time? None! How many of the 254 in our group actually know me by now? Not one! Why not? Whose fault is that? I've assumed that it's largely my own. I'm venturing thru the enclosed pages to introduce myself, such as I am. Reciprocation from each one of our 254 members would be welcome indeed. And, I'd like challenge. This could provide me--or us--many vital notes to compare; it has possibility of interesting involvement. . . (Being listed in Who's Who in American Education, International Biography, Two Thousand Men Of Achievement, Creative & Successful Personalities, etc., like holding a statistic on either national or local PDK, tho nice, does not provide interchange of tnot and spirit necessary for creative health of the human individual. More recently I've experienced participation in FORUM FOR CONTEMPORARY HISTORY that involves COMMUNICATION by personal letter distribution. This promises to be most useful. What reason is there why our local PDK could not actuate to some degree thru that kind of "thing"? As of now our chapter "fiddles" while "Rome burns.") It could spark much mutual interest--via swapping of experiences in actual life and learning. Why cringe and hide from each other or nose around in the "froth on the beer"? Underlying REALITY can be quite spontaneously relishable. A sampling sip can verify that.

Our fall conference--tho poorly attended--was very interesting to me, but it terminated abruptly ahead of schedule on grounds that those who had come from a distance had to make tracks homeward to their rabbit-holes, immediately after lunch. The final summary of the meeting was torpedoed and abandoned. Why? Was there nothing left to discuss and consider together concerning the status quo and possibilities of education and the quality of life in our country and communities in crisis? I wouldn't be surprised if those particularly eager to depart went honky-tonking till midnight anyway instead of rushing home to their schools or their wives.

Granted that there might be time for rabbit-holing and honkey-tonking but we have only two general conferences/school yr. and only one chapter meeting/mo. These C A N and ought to be palatable. They are (at least potentially) closer to R E A L I T Y than escape and diversion. What we get out of them developmentally in moral and spiritual fiber is directly proportional to input. Mankind's problem on the world scene today is essentially insensitivity to brotherhood. Have PDK'ans some part in this?

If so, then when and where C A N we proceed? By grasshopper jumps in Washington, or in the 1980's? How about coming together (integrity) more unanimously in both spirit and attendance at our meetings N O W instead of procastingly going asunder, much "later than we think"? Life (learning) is where we find it--in F E A R L E S S mutually revitalizing search and concreation, not in self-seeking diversion. In brotherly fusion, not fission. In positive mutual attraction via what there is in common at heart, not by repulsion of potentially enriching differences on the periphery.

I'm highly in favor of "new blood" via influx of new members but we shouldn't lean on that externally as a crutch; the present membership needs to be resurrected by internal spinal uprightness and stamina, until the sanctity of our heritage on earth can be faced and realized. This is not a burden imposed on us as educators; it's an opportunity at our option--not a "must but a "may."

Sincerely

Afterthat: Would it be wise for Vietnamese to go for the hint that upon submission Uncle Sam will monetarily "rehabilitate" all Southeast Asia in his own image when that image is one of inability to rehabilitate the shettos, farms, business practices, downheartedness of the poor, and educational effectiveness of his own at home? Can rehabilitation trickle down thru Saigon-type corruption as watershed; will flooding of hard surfaces in torrents down eroding ratholes nourish grass roots in need of fertilizer, cultivation and moisture? Is the direction of natural development from the macrocosm toward the microcosm or is it vice versa?

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[redacted] Redlands, Ca. 92373, Apr. 10, 1972 Re: An observation of political and religious smallness vs broader reality.

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Man has always been his "brothers' keeper," world-wide, but that truth is now more evolved in the interpenetrating (inter-dependent, if you prefer) nature of modern co-existence than it was 2000 or even 200 years ago. Thinking in terms of in-group cut-group pressuring and external push-pulling (coupled with halo vs condemnation) where good is generalized in the in-group and bad in the out-group is no longer practical, if it ever was. The former now needs to include every human individual to the total extinction of the latter.

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In his thinking, in the shadow of the military mind, he is unaware of the underlying reality that militarism is obsolete as instrument of human policy. He has pursued elongating shadows until he is lost in darkness to the extent that he doesn't know he is lost in superficiality.

He needs to about-face and head toward light (understanding) now scintillating behind him in the distance---until he arrives at obliteration of dark negativism.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

Note: This was published (Jan.18,1972)

Tempo, Channel 9 TV, Los Angeles Re: The actual nature of Russian effort to "bury" us.

Dear Bob (Dornan):

(Written Nov. 18, 1968.)

Your reference to the Cuba Crisis today as a case of "Eyeball To Eyeball" (militarily) is just one more instance of dangerous misunderstanding and misinformation propagation as to what really happened in that instance. It misleads us hazardously on the nature of the game Russia has been, and is, actually playing with us. Consequently we play into the "bear trap" at tremendous expense to us over and over again all the way to Vietnam and back.

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Why, even ultra-conservative anti-Communist David Lawrence declared the Cuba affair to have been "The Hoax of The Year"---a few months after it occurred.

It is pathetic to observe that the shadow of military-mindedness of our great nation can so completely blind even the leading officials and commentators of the subtle underlying reality of what is actually happening while we nose around in the "froth on the beer." It is sad to me indeed to see our nation so far off base in its observations and thinking, groping blindly and making much noise in futility.

May God bless us all according to our individual needs toward mutual understanding.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

Note: I find military-mindedness so onion-strong in our country that very few ever find it possible to even consider this analysis as a remotest possibility. Consequently we as a nation become all the more vulnerable to strategy other than military. . . . Khrushchev's challenge, or threat, to "bury" us was economic--not military --but there's been irrepressible tendency to take it as military. And now we are as of this moment on the way to economic collapse via misplacement of productive capacity and natural and human resources. S T R E N G T H, on the national level in particular, has been overwhelmingly synonymous with the military--the G U N. I suppose the bank robber and the sky-jacker think likewise. What alternative pattern is there to emulate any more? There is alternative--by departure from standard negativism.

Ronald Reagan-4118

April 13, 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Man's prospects in abiding by the out-
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THE SUN
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Dear Editor:

Salsberger's "FEAR IS ULTIMATE FORCE IN VIETNAM" today unwittingly points out that war requires "victory" of FEAR--because fear is its base and footing. And, how ultimate or how empty are the prospects for such "victory"!!!

It is fear that makes it necessary for man to pick up arms and deplete his natural, human, and economic resources in endless races of armament stockpiling (monuments to cowardice). Its allies are hate, spite, prejudice, greed, etc.

Ever since cave days man has been striving scared, to become BRAVE anuf to fight his fellow man in order to become free of him. Now that the world has "shrunk" he is even less free of neighbors than ever, unless mutual annihilation can be accomplished. Why?

We humans have thus far had the cart before the horse. We need to become free F I R S T---of fear and its allies---then we cannot help but be truly spontaneously B R A V E enuf to LIVE and let live.

Fear is an absence or void, like darness in a living room, that cannot be destroyed because it is a non-existence. But turn on the light and the darkness is gone.

It is likewise with pursuit of elongating shadows that lead us away from light. About-face and shadows will be left behind, because their existence depends on perversion, or backward use of light.

Weak emptiness of fear can be filled(displaced) with love and its allies of faith, confidence, courage, and genuine G U N L E S S strength.that is creative.

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. There is no peace in the future that is not hidden in this present little instant. Let us come out of the musty gloom of the cave into the sunlight of LIFE.

Sincerely yours,

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"There is nothing I can give you that you have not got; but there is very, very much that, while I cannot give it, you can take. No heaven can come to us unless our hearts find rest in today. Take heaven! . . .No peace lies in the future which is not hidden in this present little instant. Take peace! . . .The gloom of the world is but a shadow. Behind it, yet within our reach, is joy. There is radiance and glory even in the darkness could we but see---and to see we have only to look. I beseech you to look. . .Life is so generous a giver, but we, judging its gifts by their covering, cast them away as ugly or heavy or hard. Remove the covering, and you will find, beneath it a living splendor woven of love, by wisdom with power. Welcome it, grasp it, and you touch the angel's hand that brings it to you. Everything we call a trial, a sorrow, or a duty, believe me, that angel's hand is there; the gift is there and the wonder of an overshadowing presence. Our joys, too,---be not content with them as joys. They, too, conceal diviner gifts."

anonymous---written by a Chinese
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Memorandum

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DATE: 6/14/72

FROM : *JMR*
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RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR
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Los Angeles nitel to the Bureau, 6/5/72.

On 6/8/72, SA CLARENCE E. NEWTON, JR., advised
ED HICKEY, Director of Security, Governor's Office,
Sacramento, of the declination of USA at Los Angeles
on 6/3/72, in this matter. Mr. HICKEY advised he was
well aware of the contents of the letter written by
 and that representatives of his office had
interviewed at Redlands, California, and no
further action was being taken by his office.

Mr. HICKEY stated in his opinion, there was
no prosecutable violation, either State or Federal,
contained in the alleged note, and unless advised to
the contrary by the Bureau, no presentation will be
made at Sacramento in view of the declination at Los
Angeles.

No further action is being taken at Sacramento,
and this case is being marked closed.

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Reference Seattle teletype to the Bureau dated 6/1/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau and Sacramento is one
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 dated 5/16/72 and 13 pages of mimeographed material apparently
 written by [REDACTED]

On May 31, 1972, the attached letter was received
 in the mail by Johnnie T. Dennis, Science Department,
 Walla Walla High School, Walla Walla, Washington, the original
 of which is presumed to have been sent to Governor Reagan
 of California.

Mr. Dennis advised that the author of the letter,
 [REDACTED] of Redlands, California, is unknown
 to him and believes that the only reason he received a
 copy is because he is a consulting editor for the Phi Delta
 Kappan, an educational magazine.

On June 1, 1972, Assistant United States Attorney
 Robert S. Linnell, Yakima, Washington, advised that any
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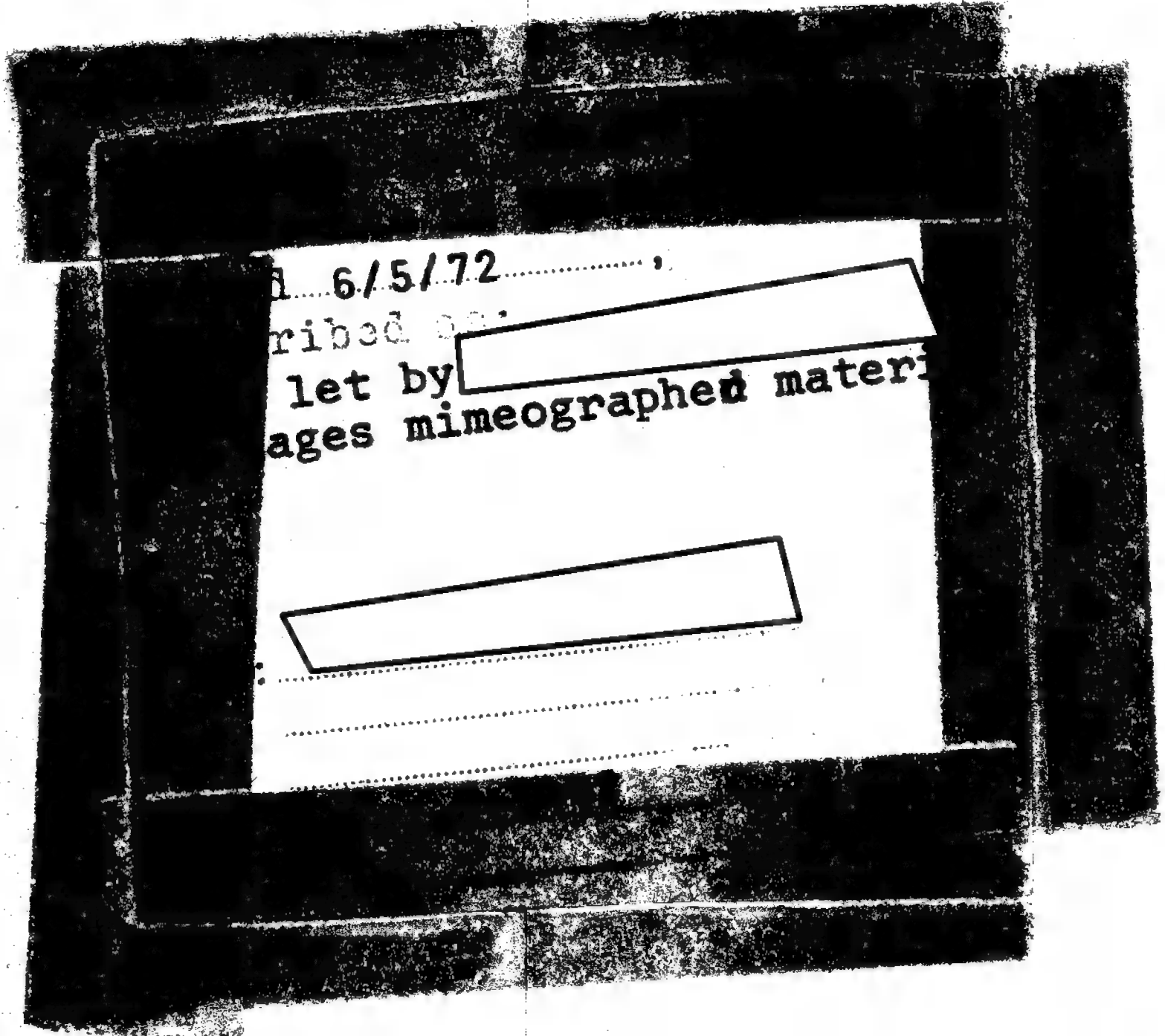
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Tatterrd confusion of human affairs today behooves us to seek loyalty great enuf to be common to all mankind--one that CAN ENLIST ALL universally applicable resource of thot, spirit, and material without prejudice against source, with courage enuf to discard all froth of partiality and obsolescence. Is that attainable? Isn't that the "image"-potential resident in the innermost essence of mankind?

The politician says, "no!" He relies on "balance" of FEAR for (fleeting) stalemate as "peace." His partner, the military, proclaims peace to be (coerceable) only by VICTORY of fear. The religious fanatic captures souls in fearful belief that there's no problem solution "until Jesus comes." He's wishful enuf to sit another 2000 years idolatrously looking for some literal HANDOUT to flop into his soft lap some day "soon" somehow, quoting Scripture for proof and solace. So, what's the hang-up? Where do we go from here? Is inspiration a thing of the past? S T A T E S M E N ! ! !

Is "God" preserved in an idolized book of 2000 years ago, or engraved in a diefied figure of Jesus? Are we now celebrating His funeral by eulogizing Him away to the distant past, the hereafter, and especially to "way up there" outside. His own works? If so, then of course it IS logical to ascribe lifelessness also to at least 99.9% of His works, the universe. However, stupor, and deadness then encroach overwhelmingly also on the remaining less than 1% of universal vastness, the earth-particle, precisely because of that devitalised God-image we so piously exercise as "bluepring." On universal curvature our dues come back to roost; we reap as we sow.

I urge that we open up to the reality that "God" is essentially personal animation within (the "kingdom" inherently resident in every human heart and consequently in the composite heart of the body of mankind) in consistent complicity with the inanimate without (the universal gravitation of "that in which we live and move and have our being")--in the P R E S E N T tense, if we are to have any credible clue to the past or future. I beseech that subjective sensitive reality be inserted to close the gap of eroding unreality between past and future, old and young, rich and poor, black and white, male and female. This invokes that vital umbilical cord connecting the finite with the infinite, the innermost sense of feeling in touch with creative reality, to actuate the whole body of mankind in mutual concreation as it actuates the four senses--like the thumb that backs up the four fingers to maximum usefulness.

Our time-tested Christian Bible (like "Bibles" other than Christian) can serve as guide like the manual to my lawn mower. But it's not magic nor will it live my life for me any more than the mower-manual will cut grass for me. Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be Son of God but we certainly do goof as liars when we deny that we (every human creature) are siblings likewise. Otherwise world-wide "brotherhood is nil.

Love for God and neighbor springs spontaneously when reality dawns to dispel that musty cave tradition of fear. Disarmament and peace (creative use of resources) occurs naturally when exercise of realistic (existent and PRESENT) God-image becomes general. When our leadership is enlightened in inspired aspiration to S E R V E, they enlist the miraculous potential of our cybernating mass media communicatively to that purpose. Deceptive commercials then give way to more vital evolvment.

We need to fathom magnanimity enuf to see indwelling God-P R E S E N C E from birth in every human (Buddhist, Zoroastrian, Janist, Democrat, Republican, Communist, Capitalist, or Christian--black, white, red, or yellow); inserting "Him" man-made after birth is futile. When ingroup embraces the total human race, to the extinction of outgroup boundaries, our loyalties will be broad enuf for dynamic peace on earth. It's a matter of claiming our true heritage in practice "just like it is" in eternity right where we are NOW rather than in some schizophrenic other place and/or other time where we are not. This is more essential to earthlings in inner space of human relations than in those inspiring moon walks. But the two do function in reciprocating complicity.

Our gadgets do not take us to the moon and back nor do they send messages back from $\frac{1}{4}$ million miles away; they only amplify what exists consistently wrought in CON- TIGUOUS eternity. Likewise, internally, man is not so separate from "God" or fellow human. Man's external conflict is superficial and non-essential--foam on the beach.

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Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: Necessary change: where, why, how?

May 16, 1972

Dear fellow-human of Planet, Earth:

In "Change In The Secondary School: Why and How?" (Phi Delta Kappan, May 1972) Burton W. Gorman hints, secondarily, at need for change also in our "culture, society, and technology." I feel that need for change ascribed to education, by Gorman and others, applies even much more appropriately to our whole social order, since education is only one little facet or aspect of it. On pages that follow in this packet I venture to depict the nature of change required for quality of life involving leadership, mass media, our religious structuring and all our natural, human and spiritual resources in the "image" at the essence of all options of our celestial heritage on earth. What I propose is not easy to implement consequently it is ignored especially by officialdom with access to articulation of what we are as Americans in contrast with what we can and ought to be.

I begin with a published letter concerning conduct of the top politician of our country, (2) a letter (in part) to a top religious figure, and (3) a letter addressed to total nation-wide leadership on the current world scene. I follow that with background items merging into the more distant past--including my own "conditioning" via past confinement and character assassination complete. I resort to the mimeograph because my writings are seldom published--they do not cater to whims of editors and publishers. I've limited my wordage to expressions brief as possible at risk of clarity. Please read on. Sincerely yours, [redacted]

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Dear Editor: (May 3, 1972) Re: Principle vs madness [redacted]

The basic principles of (Christian) Democracy are individual dignity, mutual respect, and faith in God-given intelligence and reason at solving problems. These are universally applicable and should be practiced world-wide.

Instead the U. S. exercises pride, fear stemming from that distorted dominoe theory, and frightening destructiveness of the military.

Pride is an attitude of superiority (not universally applicable) that requires inferiority for contrast, as opposed to dignity that entertains equality of principle; f e a r is an empty weakness without footing or substance; and the military is an obsolete handmaiden of fear, as opposed to f a i t h.

President Nixon Monday night referred to North Vietnam as "the enemy." But what kind of friend is a power that has put over 21,000,000 deep bomb craters in the soil of South Vietnam alone? And destruction of human lives is curiously only incidental to destruction of their footing and means of sustenance for years to come.

Even Russia and China seem now on the verge of getting together over danger of creeping madness on the part of the U. S.

North Vietnam is expected to "compromise." That word suggests reasonableness. But how much mood for compromise would we, Americans, have if some power more horrible than O U R military were putting craters in our soil in either the North or South of the U. S.? Victory of F E A R is futile in any case. Sincerely, [redacted]

May 9, 1972

Rev. Billy Graham, Montreat, N. C.

Re: Natural inherent within vs artificial
"man-made" without.
Ronald Reagan-4129

Reverend Sir:

I've read with much interest every word of PEACE WITH GOD. Many thanks for having it sent to me.

At this point I'm at the crossroads as to what words I should employ to correctly communicate what I feel at heart.

I do appreciate the literary quality and the degree of effort and spirit exerted to compose such a book. I wish I could say what I'm in all probability expected to say---that it turned me on completely to giving myself to Christ.

Yes, I have given myself---to the "Christ" universally everpresent in every human heart from birth to death ready to come (evolve) again, and again, and again to be recognized, entertained and exercised in practice. Love for "Christ"(God) thus is spontaneous, natural.

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May 16, 1972

Re: Talk vs practice.

Hon. Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
Sacramento, Ca.

Oh Governor! Dear Governor!

Granted that the Wallace assassination attempt is pathetic, it is just one more instance of the direction the U. S. has taken since the 1930's with roots in the more distant past. It is futile buck-passing cowardice to regard Arthur Bremer, or any other murderer in our country, as someone other than US. Our problems do not become solved until we fathom universal R E A L I T Y.

It was laughable to hear you whine yesterday, "Why don't they sit down and talk it over?" Yes, why don't "they" talk it over!! Preaching is much easier than practice. Your remark was ignorant, stupid, ridiculous, naive.

You are afraid the poor might get something they do not deserve or did not earn and yet you show no concern over filching of billions out of the blood and bones of fellow-humans on the part of economic "royalty." And, taxes "should hurt," but on whose part? How much are you ever willing to sit down and talk these matters over with reason??? You put the disillusioned, disenchanted, and the disadvantaged in a boat with "Communists" and insist they know no language but the mailed fist. What alternative have they then but to give you the same in return? Unfortunately often others less guilty get put into your self-styled boat. with you.

On the matter of sitting down to talk it over I can cite you personal experience dating back to 1939 and before. The enclosed packet of pages can give you at least an inkling of such effort on my part--mostly with officialdom in charge just like you are as of now. Can you now condescend to sit down and communicate with me as a citizen of your great state? Why don't you either put up or shup up before someone as sick of you as I have become puts a bullet between your teeth also?

Cordially yours,

[redacted]

P. S. On basis of past experience I see the past 15 minutes of my time to have been wasted because in all probability the Governor will never see this letter. You aides that shield and protect him from the exterior have no access or capability to save him from his own inbred internal rot. And, so it goes, adios.

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April 7, 1972

[redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: Idolatrous denial of universal reality--
the celestial heritage potential of man
"in His image."

Mr. [redacted], Executive Assistant
The Billy Graham Evangelical Association
1300 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, Minn. 55403

Dear Mr. [redacted]:

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I wish to thank you kindly for your letter of 30 March.

I ponder over why you relegate the "riches of Jesus Christ" to be "unsearchable."

I find them not only searchable but even attainable--via the Christ that dwells inherently in every human creature (either dormant or activated). (Col. 1:27)

I have no doubt that God has called Dr. Graham to preach, with conviction, as he does. Then you were called to find time to communicate with me. And, God has also called even me to point out hopefully how Mr. Graham can now increase in depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty. And, please consider me not impertinent. Think not that it's all in the bag--no room for growth or improvement. God's dynamic aliveness is evidenced by the observable fact that each individual born is unique from any other individual ever born before so that he can be named and identified as, externally, that particular person and not a mere duplicate of any one previous person--in tune with the counterbalancing fact that internally (within) every individual born is part and product of the same one continuous body of all mankind; namely, LIFE that is (internally) more REAL than the "lives" that externally come and go while it continues as eternity.

No, Jesus was not a liar in claiming to be the son of God but we most certainly do goof as liars if we deny that we (every human creature) are also the siblings of that same omnipresent God with the same heritage (John 8:41)--as though we could be products of mere fornication. The human mechanism is infinitely intricate and most gloriously accurate within (the kingdom--all the good of God). It is not just that easily created by a few external movements. Each one of us is also "The way, the truth, and the life to the extent that we live it. (This is largely a matter of universally applicable "what" rather than some ego-centered "who.")

Yes, I do love God (His PRESENCE as all of the good within man, rather than His non-existence via relegation to "way up there," as is the prevalent tendency on the part of most of us yet today). And I love mankind as product and temple of the good (love) of God, as myself, as part of my whole body. Why do you suppose I became willing to have myself arrested and incarcerated in Washington in the 30's? However, I do aim to keep my heart and mind open to further activation and reinforcement. I'm sure there's room for greater depth of magnanimity and breadth of loyalty on my part. I'm eager to fathom the ocean of human awareness, broaden the horizon, raise the ceiling, and really set the human CREATIVE spirit to truly live and to grow. Even at 62 I'm still too young to be captured and/or fenced in.

I rejoice not over Jesus' death ("for me") nor the death of any other individual. It's regrettable that the high priests and authorities of his day saw Jesus as a "dangerous demented radical" and consequently executed him. It would have been much finer, more useful, for him to have lived much longer for God, country and fellowman.

The foregoing is written not with intent to contradict, offend, or subtract but rather to reinforce reality and to supplement according to need as God provides me with vision to see. I'm open to correction on anything I may have misunderstood. And I'd like challenge on any remarks or statements I've made that might be questionable.

With the very best of wishes,

Graham Association,

Sincerely yours,

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Many hearty thanks again for writing to me, as

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[redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373
April 13, 1972

Re: Man's prospects in abiding by the out-
moded tradition of F E A R and its
handmaiden, the gun.

Mr. James Geehan, Editor
THE SUN
San Berdino, Ca.

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Dear Editor:

Salsberger's "FEAR IS ULTIMATE FORCE IN VIETNAM" today unwittingly points out that war requires "victory" of FEAR--because fear is its base and footing. And, how ultimate or how empty are the prospects for such "victory"!!!

It is fear that makes it necessary for man to pick up arms and deplete his natural, human, and economic resources in endless races of armament stockpiling (monuments to cowardice). Its allies are hate, spite, prejudice, greed, etc.

Ever since cave days man has been striving scared, to become BRAVE anuf to fight his fellow man in order to become free of him. Now that the world has "shrunk" he is even less free of neighbors than ever, unless mutual annihilation can be accomplished. Why?

We humans have thus far had the cart before the horse. We need to become free F I R S T---of fear and its allies---then we cannot help but be truly spontaneously B R A V E enuf to LIVE and let live.

Fear is an absence or void, like darness in a living room, that cannot be destroyed because it is a non-existence. But turn on the light and the darkness is gone.

It is likewise with pursuit of elongating shadows that lead us away from light. About-face and shadows will be left behind, because their existence depends on perversion, or backward use of light.

Weak emptiness of fear can be filled(displaced) with love and its allies of faith, confidence, courage, and genuine G U N L E S S strength.that is creative.

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. There is no peace in the future that is not hidden in this present little instant. Let us come out of the musty gloom of the cave into the sunlight of LIFE.

Sincerely yours,

[redacted]

"There is nothing I can give you that you have not got; but there is very, very much that, while I cannot give it, you can take. No heaven can come to us unless our hearts find rest in today. Take heaven! . . .No peace lies in the future which is not hidden in this present little instant. Take peace! . . .The gloom of the world is but a shadow. Behind it, yet within our reach, is joy. There is radiance and glory even in the darkness could we but see---and to see we have only to look. I beseech you to look. . .Life is so generous a giver, but we, judging its gifts by their covering, cast them away as ugly or heavy or hard. Remove the covering, and you will find, beneath it a living splendor woven of love, by wisdom with power. Welcome it, grasp it, and you touch the angel's hand that brings it to you. Everything we call a trial, a sorrow, or a duty, believe me, that angel's hand is there; the gift is there and the wonder of an overshadowing presence. Our joys, too,---be not content with them as joys. They, too, conceal diviner gifts."

anonymous---written by a Chinese
philosopher in the 13th century, to the best of our knowledge.

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[Redacted], Redlands, Ca. 92373, Apr. 10, 1972 Re: An observation of political

and religious smallness vs broader reality.

To the leadership of our Nation:

The air is now steeped rife with past myth and futuristic aircastle promises of self-seeking opportunism out to exploit once more the upcoming ballot boxes entrenched in favor of an astute incumbent.

The American Indian had his myths. The white "Christians" that pushed him off his lands in the name of God and progress had their separate myths. Myths follow also the Hindus, Moslems, Janists, Zoroastrians, Democrats, Republicans, Independents, Communism, Capitalism, and especially Militarism, the most obsolete instrument in human policy. But precisely how separate are those separate myths? And, just how separate is the seemingly separate TRUTH about mankind?

Man has always been his "brothers' keeper," world-wide, but that truth is now more evolved in the interpenetrating (inter-dependent, if you prefer) nature of modern co-existence than it was 2000 or even 200 years ago. Thinking in terms of in-group out-group pressuring and external push-pulling (coupled with halo vs condemnation) where good is generalized in the in-group and bad in the out-group is no longer practical, if it ever was. The former now needs to include every human individual to the total extinction of the latter.

Mankind needs to be "reborn" free from all fear, hate, spite, prejudice etc. in universal open spirit rather than in some cloistered dogma or earth-bound womb. Then he can be spontaneously "B R A V E" enuf to LIVE and let live. Yes, the religions of the world (like the 256 listed sects in the U. S. alone) are each assertedly "open" to all mankind, but only if mankind will line submissively thru its particular porthole. Witness what a problem this presents to President Nixon in innovating approaches to China and Russia, for instance. Missionairies have already their eagle eyes cocked to making the Chinese over in our own image---and what an image!

World-wide brotherhood (or siblinghood, if you have aversion to the unisexuality) of man cannot be artificially brought about by any high priest or authority because that pre-requires natural common source, parentage. However, happily, that does exist already in reality as celestial heritage because every human creature is offspring of the same everpresent "Creator" in the creative "image"--unless we abandon "God" to the mythical six days in the past tense alone forever (in that case men should be duplicates like interchangeable auto parts rather than each a unique individual). We only need to claim it in expanded awareness and practice. Why ascribe poverty (or partiality to "God," the image of our own being, by limiting "Him" to a one and only son?

And not even any daughters? Observe that the same universal male-female power of procreation is quite definitely present at all points of the earth, and in all probability everywhere thruout the universe. Ascribing deadness (life ^{less} ~~ness~~ to more than 99.9% of the vast universe comes back to roost in our civilization in the form of crime, quarreling, riots, and progressively more involved more total more atomic computerized wars toward oblivion, because of the macrocosm's curvature, because we're bound to reap as we sow. Why ascribe intelligence, and life, ONLY to less than 1% of universal vastness, the earth-particle, in petty parsimony? Where's our magnanimity?

Solution to problems of our nation and the world is to us more vital than who'll be our next President. And this requires deeper magnanimity and wider loyalty than either politics or religion have in store for us as of now.

How insoluble are man's problems; how essential is the crisis in human relations? It should be within his power to undo them because they're of his own making. They stem from ignominious smallness of mind and spirit that needs to EXERCISE the faith of a mustard seed. Man's whole being (the whole wide universe) will then begin to serve him. As of now he uses (creatively) less than one little finger of his potential. And petty politics, like predatory commercials, just plays on that smallness.

Sincerely yours,

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Our spring conference attendance in Wash. jumped from a little 350 last year to a "surprising" 650 in 1972. No one seems to
[Redacted] Redlands, Ga. 92375 *from - really what?* PDK potential. President John G. [unclear]
Feb. 19, 1972 *John G. [unclear] to his [unclear] administration*

Dear Brother-Kappan:

I've enjoyed local PDK membership nearly two years. How many of the fellows do I really know by this time? None! How many of the 254 in our group actually know me by now? Not one! Why not? Whose fault is that? I've assumed that it's largely my own. I'm venturing thru the enclosed pages to introduce myself, such as I am. Reciprocation from each one of our 254 members would be welcome indeed. And, I'd like challenge. This could provide me--or us--many vital notes to compare; it has possibility of interesting evolvement. . . (Being listed in Who's Who in American Education, International Biography, Two Thousand Men Of Achievement, Creative & Successful Personalities, etc., like holding a statistic on either national or local PDK, tho nice, does not provide interchange of thot and spirit necessary for creative health of the human individual. More recently I've experienced participation in FORUM FOR CONTEMPORARY HISTORY that involves COMMUNICATION by personal letter distribution. This promises to be most useful. What reason is there why our local PDK could not actuate to some degree thru that kind of "thing"? As of now our chapter "fiddles" while "Rome burns.") It could spark much mutual interest--via swapping of experiences in actual life and learning. Why cringe and hide from each other or nose around in the "froth on the beer"? Underlying REALITY can be quite spontaneously relishable. A sampling sip can verify that.

Our fall conference--tho poorly attended--was very interesting to me, but it terminated abruptly ahead of schedule on grounds that those who had come from a distance had to make tracks homeward to their rabbit-holes, immediately after lunch. The final summary of the meeting was torpedoed and abandoned. Why? Was there nothing left to discuss and consider together concerning the status quo and possibilities of education and the quality of life in our country and communities in crisis? I wouldn't be surprised if those particularly eager to depart went honky-tonking till midnight anyway instead of rushing home to their schools or their wives.

Granted that there might be time for rabbit-holing and honkey-tonking but we have only two general conferences/school yr. and only one chapter meeting/mo. These C A N and ought to be palatable. They are (at least potentially) closer to R E A L I T Y than escape and diversion. What we get out of them developmentally in moral and spiritual fiber is directly proportional to input. Mankind's problem on the world scene today is essentially insensitivity to brotherhood. Have PDK'ans some part in this?

If so, then when and where C A N we proceed? By grasshopper jumps in Washington, or in the 1980's? How about coming together (integrity) more unanimously in both spirit and attendance at our meetings N O W instead of procrastinatingly going asunder, much "later than we think"? Life (learning) is where we find it--in F E A R L E S S mutually revitalizing search and concreation, not in self-seeking diversion. In brotherly fusion, not fission. In positive mutual attraction via what there is in common at heart, not by repulsion of potentially enriching differences on the periphery.

I'm highly in favor of "new blood" via influx of new members but we shouldn't lean on that externally as a crutch; the present membership needs to be resurrected by internal spinal uprightness and stamina, until the sanctity of our heritage on earth can be faced and realized. This is not a burden imposed on us as educators; it's an opportunity at our option--not a "must" but a "may".

Ronald Reagan-4135

Sincerely, [Redacted]

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Afterthot: Would it be wise for Vietnamese to go for the hint that upon submission Uncle Sam will monetarily "rehabilitate" all Southeast Asia in his own image when that image is one of inability to rehabilitate the ghettos, farms, business practices, downheartedness of the poor, and educational effectiveness of his own at home? Can rehabilitation trickle down thru Saigon-type corruption as watershed; will flooding of hard surfaces in torrents down eroding ratholes nourish grass roots in need of fertilizer, cultivation and moisture? Is the direction of natural development from the macrocosm toward the microcosm or is it vice versa?

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Redlands, Ca. 92373 Re: Inadequacy of Social Security and
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To the heads of our Nation:

Nearly four years ago I was once more "disabled" from my occupation--teaching and school administration--by means of a skeleton in my closet that assassinates my character. Actually it's Uncle Sam's but it's still officially labeled as mine.

After several months of thumb-twittling in frustration I found and took menial labor as janitor (assuming that if we don't get what we want, we need to want what we get). Physical check-up declared me fit for 10 or 15 more years of labor. Privately to my wife I expressed intentions of beating those figures.

The spirit was willing but the flesh of my right shoulder in particular did not pass the test (It had been once completely dislocated over 20 years previously in basketball. I had been told it would be troublesome the rest of my days.) It clunks. Beyond limited use it becomes irritated. Over the past three years I've spent many tense days and sleepless nights with it--in optimistic hope that nature will reward reward effort, that determined exercise will eventually make it strong. But continued use made the shoulder and adjoining areas increasingly tense and painful. I was forced to consider retirement.

At the Social Security office one Mrs. Goodman informed me that I'd be entitled to about \$200/mo. and about \$100 apiece for my two children--more precisely \$398/mo.

Upon due notice to my employers I made definite application, on the 62 year old basis, since my family doctor was unable to "qualify" me for disability which would have put me on the 65 year figure immediately. (His x-ray showed no pain nor loose clunking nor the tension that develops. On calcium deposits noticeable he offered to needle me with cortizone shots as other MD's had done previously--to no avail. In the past only chiropractors' massage of tenseness and their ultrasonic breaking up of calcium had given me relief. MD treatment, beyond that first relocation, has been useless as a belch in a gale. But it's the MD that's in authority.)

On the second visit to the Social Security office I was informed of a "family maximum" of \$302.80 altogether. I was left wondering why Mrs. Goodman had not brot up that "maximum." I was left pondering also the plight of those who are less fortunate than I--who have contributed less years via lower salary and might have 10 or 12 children (who had no choice of parents) instead of two. And how is one to live on \$302.80/mo. even if he has only two children? How secure is our security?

Much has gone thru my mind the past few weeks concerning years bygone and those ahead for my children. Will they find their world more trustworthy? Will they be as naive as I have been? As of now their future looks less promising despite all academic and parental nurture.

My mother died when I was 8. Father was awfully busy raising wheat and cattle, despite a crippled left hand. My two brothers and I grew up like weeds in the wilderness, from standpoint of culture and social finesse. We worked not only long hours in the fields but also at housekeeping and cooking besides.

When the finest grade of hard spring wheat went down to 25 cents/bu., we learned first hand that in America one can go to the poorhouse working himself to death while speculators wallow in millions via manipulation of markets.

And then came the drought and dust storms to wipe our life earnings to less than zero. Somehow in the meantime I did become the educated fool of the family. I was first to ever get an 8th grade diploma at our rural school. Six years as student-janitor (along with various odd jobs and housekeeping) made it possible for me to complete high school, belatedly, and to obtain a B.A. degree in education.

Ronald Reagan-4136

My first teaching position (Werner, N. Dak. 1935-36) evaporated after one year, due to emigration of population via drought and dust storms.

Assistant Educational Advisorship for a Boston CCC company at Diston, Oregon (1936-37) ceased when CCC funds were cut and the camp was disbanded.

Teaching in the state of Washington expired after one year (1937-38) when my One

Year Temporary Certificate became non-renewable--local graduates needed employment
Selling Silver-Seal kitchen utensils via demonstration dinner and health lecture had to discontinue when the manufacturer went bankrupt.

House-painting in Portland, Ore. could not continue when owners "had no money."
(Had it evaporated? Who had it cornered? Where was it? Had it become extinct?)

Grain and fruit were rotting in fields and orchards or were deliberately destroyed to bring up price. Factories in the cities were idle, yet warehouses were bulging full. Meanwhile unfortunates were starving; they had no money for that price.

A book-full of words would not cover my interim on WPA (despite refusal to sign that required paupers' oath) to experience and study first hand that set-up in action, while taking simultaneously extension courses in Economic Research and International Economic Policies from the U. of Ore. under Dr. Victor Pierpont Morris.

Much class time was spent on the horrors of Nazism, in juxtaposition with what parasites were the WPA "loafers" that leaned on shovels--as tho they were equally horrible and consequently a product of Nazism. . . . When it became inevitable for me to divulge that I was one instance of that part and product of America and the American Way of Life that the professor and his graduate students were unwittingly degrading, even beyond the humiliation of "pauper" stigma, embarrassment to teacher and students necessitated discontinuance of my attendance. They had tho they knew precisely what was going on in Germany across the Atlantic when actually they knew almost nothing even about lives of their fellow-men right under their very noses--preconception!

Congressmen (and others in charge of our nation) were just too preoccupied with big business. (Like Nero fiddling while Rome burned.)

As a last resort effort to communicate what I had seen and experienced across the country concerning involuntary unemployment and poverty in the midst of "What to do with surplus?" (of money, goods, natural and human resources, and productive capacity) I sacrificed all that I had and all that I was in getting myself arrested via a brick thru a U. S. Treasury window---with willingness to pay the penalty for my act. (I was naive enuf to think I would experience justice in hands of Government & media.)

I did get a hearing in court. I answered every one of the judge's questions without hesitation. The last one was, "What right have you to be concerned about all those millions of unemployed? (We've always had the unemployed and poor in our history.) Are you an authorized representative of an organization of the unemployed?" I answered, "Your honor, my reason is selfish. I seek security of opportunity to depend on myself for a decent living. But I happen to know that for me that security is not complete until every other citizen of our country has that same security." The laughing thigh-slapping audience seemed to enjoy my remarks very much. In embarrassment the judge motioned for the guards to remove me as he muttered something about the trial to be continued later. It was never continued.

I was incarcerated with the criminally insane behind 30-foot concrete walls in Howard Hall of St. Elizabeth's by the Potomac for three long years (Aug. 13, 1939 to Aug. 13, 1942) in suspense from day to day by means of Secret Service retainers, while Doctors Lind and Griffin in charge of me kept chanting, "We think you're ill! We think you're ill! We think you're ill!!!!!"

A punch-drunk heavy-weight ex prizefighter was allowed to surprise me with a compound fracture of the jaw. I was left unattended 4 days and 5 nights. I was unable to swallow even my own saliva. But I did not die. Why not?

In due course both doctors became definitely ill instead. (Griffin had surgery for gall stones.) With more sympathetic internes substituting in charge I was better able to communicate with the outside world and as a result of investigation by Senator Gerald P. Nye of North Dakota I did finally get released.

Employment was now available in "cast plus" defense work. Tom, Dick or Harry that could walk and punch a time clock. T H A N K S to WW II.

But when the war ended, going was really tuffer than ever for this assassinated character. Nevertheless, after 10 years of absence from education, I did somehow get back to teaching and even to school superintendency, but it had to be in little one-horse towns in the Midwest and I had to move every year or two to keep ahead of that

skelton in my closet. Also my thinking was "liberal" for most conservative areas.

July 1966 we relocated from N. Dak. to Calif. with intentions of being more permanently settled so that our children would not have to be uprooted so often. Redlands looked most inviting. Subsequent to an interview on teaching Social Science I received the nicest and most encouraging letter of my life from Personnel Director, William Rosenberger. Mostly on the strength of that letter we bought a good home and settled in Redlands to stay.

The teaching position never materialized. In the meantime ultra-conservative Max Rafferty, Supt. of Pub. Instruction, requested a second set of finger prints from me. He seems to have decided that one with my record shall not teach in California.

But where do I go from here? Past character assassination caused me to retire from the teaching profession. Unbearable pain in my shoulder and related areas caused retirement from janitor work. Yet my AFA-ultra-conservative family doctor does not "qualify" me for disability. On the age 62 basis I can draw only \$151/mo. If in the meantime I earn more than \$140/mo., half will be taken away. Beyond a certain figure all will be taken. Why? Why the restriction on lingering productive capacity? There's no parallel curb on even dubious proceeds of wealthy.

Even cowards can take away means of livelihood from the powerless deprived. But who among our alleged leadership dares modify disbalanced and hoarding of power-hungry multimillionaires whose snowballing loot gravitates to investments abroad and to the military, that those very deprived then get drafted to promote and defend with their lives on the other side of the earth-ball. Is there wonder why we have Hippies, Yippies, and increase in drug-addiction and crime? And what family in price-mad America can live decently on \$302.8/mo. or less? A tent in the woods is not feasible.

The wallowing wealthy can draw Social Security regardless of all other income but if some poor man manages to be productive beyond \$140/mo., it will be taken away from him!! How rotten can we get for the sake of an out-dated economy? Is man to be forever sacrificed for property and big profits for the few till they rot in gluttony or C A N our economy be adapted to S E R V E mankind instead? I've given my best from age 8 up to the present--even at self-sacrifice beyond all call of duty and functional patriotism. Am I now to be further kicked in the teeth in return? Hell no!

Fool me once, shame on you; fool me twice, shame on me. But I'm not so gullible a second time. And today I'm not alone like I was in 1939. The tables are turning.

It can't be done! Uncle Sam cannot afford a decent living for every American either by due pension or thru productive capacity! !!! B U L L M A N U R E !!! --- with due apologies to the bull and to his manure!

We might say our representatives on both the state and national levels have deteriorated to conducting themselves like stinking drizzling south^h end of a bull going north but that would not be correct; it would not be fair to the bull nor to his south end. The bull's anatomy is in place. It performs its function--dropping excreta harmlessly on the ground to become fertilizer to grass and flowers. That's more than can be said for Washington officialdom in particular. It broadcasts moral and verbal excreta both at home and up to summit levels abroad in a manner that pollutes, poisons, and contaminates--in the interest of vain ego and false face beyond repair.

And I have respect for bull manure too because it is intelligent; it "knows" how to become nourishing to plant life. That's more than can be said for our Congress as a whole, or for Tricky-Dicky. They do not truly S E R V E our country (and theirs) because they have pursued elongating shadows until they're lost in (military) darkness.

Of course it's in the dark that we see the stars, and there are some among Congressmen, but the light they shed is not enuf. One calls for new beginning as presidential candidate but does he have inner vision enuf for today's requirements of mankind? We need a S U Y that can awaken sensitivities to S P I R I T U A L and social R E A L I T Y that can claim our celestial heritage on earth as brothers' keepers.

Politics cannot solve our problems because it hinges on self-seeking profit motive. It's crude and clumsy. Man has always been his brothers' keeper but that truth is more evolved today than 2000 or 200 years ago. It's now more imperative.

Life is infinitely intricate(interpenetrating)and yet most gloriously accurate

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Despite our unawareness. It promises ecstatic adventure, via change to higher levels. The alternative is oblivion. Permanence (eternity) is based on consistent balanced change according to need rather than on rigid brittle changelessness.

Even sand, for instance, is "intelligent" enuf to change to liquid at a specific temperature in order to become glass for our windows. And H_2O changes to liquid and to gas according to need. Otherwise it could not serve locomotion in a railroad engine nor life via rain to vegetation in perpetuation of the water cycle. If sand and H_2O did not change as required, they would probably obliterate themselves as essential elements of the universe. And the keynote is balance!!!!

One might say that those melting points of sand and H_2O are instances of changelessness. Oh yeah? They too vary according to purity and altitude. They are moving fulcrums of balance at which change does occur---less rigid, less arbitrary and much more sensitive and functional than the predatory disbalanced gluttonous profit motive that converts goods into g l u t on the market. Consistency makes the former universally applicable. What breadth of balance even a fraction of military waste could provide if converted to genuine grass-roots purchasing power!!!

If our presidential candidates were truly enlightened in the sincerity of their aspirations to serve their country (fellow-men), that would be immediately demonstrated in challenging, encouraging, enlightening and mutually uplifting each other and the American public N O W instead of defending past egos and/or promising beautifully packaged moons in an illusionary future that recedes like the horizon line.

We need heads of state that can be F E A R L E S S enmasse in underlying reality of today, with roots in the past only for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment. Why should today be left an eroding credibility canyon between dead past and illusionary future or hereafter?

Can bombs in bank vaults conceivably show how command of property can free lives and begin to serve life instead of being the object to pursue at human sacrifice?

Yes, if Tricky-Dicky and Congress could only about-face enmasse and see the light of reality still scintillating behind them in the distance!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Every American needs economic footing. It is morally imperative and socially prudent, and a sound economy requires it for functional health. As of now our economy is like a top-heavy creaking old wheel that wants to collapse because it's out of round and off balance. Its narrow base now requires artificial scarcity at sacrifice of productive capacity and general welfare. Self-less scientific cybernating service of technology has solved man's problem of production even with restricted fractional capacity. But the highly-lauded self-seeking profit system continues to fail miserably in its assigned role of merely distributing that potential blessing of product. What has happened to the moral guts and spinal stamina of those in charge of our nation---in both the public and private sectors? Is functional courage extinct?

Why a family limit to income while there's so much unused productive capacity to translate (despite irresponsible waste of it on the military)? If those SS limits were justifiable, then limits to hoarding of millions should be infinigely more so. Without substance the "unfortunate" cannot live; without compassion and common sense the predatory affluent are already dead---but (like the turtle still running in circles after his head had been off) they do not know it.

Until every American has genuine security, it is hallucination to think that any of us has it. Why abuse and dissipate both natural and human resource? Accentuate the positive; invest in its integrity instead!

We cannot alter the melody of infinity; we can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences. It is fear (hate, negativism, shadow) that puts us in discord; in faith (love, positivism, reality) we find infinity all-inclusive, all-encompassing, all-embracing---universally articulated toward full Reagan-4139 by dynamic breadth of balance. Exploited and/or dead bodies of fellow-men make sloppy footing for our country and for the world.

God is essentially personal animation w-i-t-h-i-n, consistently complicit with the inanimate without-----in the P R E S E N T tense, or we have no credible clue to the past or future.

Jan. 5, 1972

Redlands, Ca. 92373
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Re: Monopolized institutionalization
and consequent gloom.

Dear Editor:

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DATE 1/21/96

BY SSA9803 RDI/R

Institutionalized mass media coupled with institutionalized economics and religion (in the shadow of overwhelming, the declining and obsolete, military mind) form an entrenched triangle of traditional negativism to timely change that causes the U.S. to become more and more the constipated posterior of the earth-planet on the world scene. When change does to some extent occur under pressure it lacks innovation and is consequently inadequate---lacks creative roots---is pretentious and superficial.

This seems to be sensed unwittingly by many established columnists. For instance, Jenkins Lloyd Jones (Jan. 2) under "American Picnic Drawing to a Close" says, . . . "The cold fact is that the once almighty dollar had to be clipped because Americans are loosing their ability to compete."

Ernest Cuneo in his "Soft Issues and Hard Facts (Jan. 3) talks about gravest danger to our country and closes with, "Actually the world situation is moving from disastrous to catastrophic."

And Bruce Blossat (Jan. 3) hits the jackpot in "Colossal Ennue Engulfs Nation" as follows, in part:

"Nevertheless the net of it is that Americans are on the way to boring each other to stupor.

"Most television specials don't seem very special any more. . . . go over old ground.

". . . There is a terrible lack of freshness in our approaches to problems which should challenge and stir us."

In my own experience when even a limited 250 word letter to the editor dares to present more basic challenge or to supplement the voluminous E S T A B L I S H E D columns with missing links, it hits the wastebasket like foreign litter.

Of course I'm free to own a newspaper or syndicate. Oh yeah????

This leaves me frustrated!!! Where can I go from here? The above is all True! But it is even more serenely true that my gloom (like the gloom of the world in general) is but shadow. The longer we pursue shadows (like justification of Vietnam, for instance) the longer they become as we journey away from light. It's better to light a candle at the least than to curse the darkness.

It behooves me to say, "Get thee behind me, shadow!" And, behold, I'm heading in the direction of light! Shadow becomes shorter behind me An inkling of joy stirs. I do have a mimeograph. I can duplicate hundreds of copies of this letter--and also the two previous ones the editor did not publish. I can circulate these as far as possible the hard way and see what happens. I'm off dead center.

Since this began as a letter to the editor, I'll leave it as such. And since this is now beyond the (publishable) 250 word limit, I'll mimeograph it right at the start. Of course I'll still send a copy to the editor too. He might yet publish it.

Sincerely yours,

P. S. Had I been harsh on religion in putting it in cahoots with mass media and economics? A casual scan thru THE SUN however revealed (P. 3 of Section B. Jan. 5) that "Churches Reap Big Profits From Viet War, Study Shows." My own church (United Methodist) was found to have nearly 60 million invested in top military corporations. History now reveals that whenever war occurs, be it hot or cold, truth is the first casualty and that wars are fought by subterfuge. And now I find my own church quite definitely involved in support of that subterfuge and departure from truth!! The Lusitania was sent into the war zone with contraband to create an incident, in cold deliberation, to make Americans fighting mad. And now we find, on the front page of THE SUN (Jan 2. 1972), that FDR wanted to manufacture an incident to bring the U. S. into WW II months before Pearl Harbor. And then we heard about "Sneak Attack" And, is the Vietnam war now really being prolonged over prisoners of war?????

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The Sun, San Bernardino, Ca. Re: "Impracticallity" of morals vs lack of morals
being the very source of our troubles.

Dear Editor Geehan:

Professor Robinson's letter today, titled "'Amoral' Foreign Policy Urged" is wrong. He says, ". . . in the world of power politics there is no such thing as morality. The moment a country's foreign policy is determined by morals. . . the world is in for a lot of trouble." Isn't it that very lack of morals that is indeed giving us trouble both at home and abroad? He takes the attitude that since that is how it is, that is how it shall remain. Don't identify the leak in a sinking boat!

In his thinking, in the shadow of the military mind, he is unaware of the underlying reality that militarism is obsolete as instrument of human policy. He has pursued elongating shadows until he is lost in darkness to the extent that he doesn't know he is lost in superficiality.

He needs to about-face and head toward light (understanding) now scintillating behind him in the distance---until he arrives at obliteration of dark negativism.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

Note: This was published (Jan.18,1972)

Tempo, Channel 9 TV, Los Angeles Re: The actual nature of Russian effort to "bury" us.

(Written Nov. 18, 1968.)

Your reference to the Cuba Crisis today as a case of "Eyeball To Eyeball" (militarily) is just one more instance of dangerous misunderstanding and misinformation propagation as to what really happened in that instance. It misleads us hazardously on the nature of the game Russia has been, and is, actually playing with us. Consequently we play into the "bear trap" at tremendous expense to us over and over again all the way to Vietnam and back.

Russia never intended to I N V A D E the U. S. from Cuba nor to confront our Navy on the Atlantic. That's why our navy was left shadow boxing. The intention was to make it appear on the world scene that the U. S. is a "War Monger" that does not like its own "medicine", bases at her back door as she has in regards to other nations, like those in Turkey, for instance.

You might recall that this strategy was so effective that Khrushchev was hailed "Savior of Peace" at a relatively small cost to his nation.

Also, shortly thereafter some of our Senators declared (on the Senate floor) themselves willing to take responsibility for WW III if it came, while Khrushchev was denouncing "militarism" as obsolete as "instrument of Communist policy"--from a podium in East Berlin. To me this was embarrassing on the world stage.

Why, even ultra-conservative anti-Communist David Lawrence declared the Cuba affair to have been "The Hoax of The Year"---a few months after it occurred.

It is pathetic to observe that the shadow of military-mindedness of our great nation can so completely blind even the leading officials and commentators of the subtle underlying reality of what is actually happening while we nose around in the "froth on the beer." It is sad to me indeed to see our nation so far off base in its observations and thinking, groping blindly and making much noise in futility.

May God bless us all according to our individual needs toward mutual understanding.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

Note: I find military-mindedness so onion-strong in our country that very few ever find it possible to even consider this analysis as a remotest possibility. Consequently we as a nation become all the more vulnerable to strategy other than military. . . . Khrushchev's challenge, or threat, to "bury" us was economic--not military--but there's been irrepressible tendency to take it as military. And now we are as of this moment on the way to economic collapse via misplacement of productive capacity and natural and human resources. S T R E N G T H, on the national level in particular, has been overwhelmingly synonymous with the military---the G U N. I suppose the bank robber and the sky-jacker think likewise. What alternative pattern is there to emulate any more? There is alternative--by departure from standard negativism.

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Redlands, Ca. 92373

Re: P R E S E N C E of deity now vs "judgment"
in some future that becomes dead past.

Mr. James Geehan, Editor

THE SUN, San Bernardino, Ca.

Note: This was N O T published.

James Restpm's "Does History Pass Moral Judgment?" is timely and yet in terms of outworn theology that dwells on dead past and illusionary future separated by eroding gap. Reality is what happens now with R O O T S in the past for nourishment and aspirations in viable future for enlightenment--in elevated perspective.

Man puts deity unwittingly into past tense ("God created--and then retired?) and into relative non-existence outside His works "way up there." And His universe is still considered devoid of "intelligent life," except for this little earth-parti- cle. He is then further devitalized and bottle-necked into canned monopolizing form of O N E and O N L Y son to be idolized---inconsistent with valid sample of mankind. Irregularity is inadvertently inserted into the I M A G E of creativeness man could be exercising on earth instead of deceit, greed, crime and war.

Actually deity C R E A T E S today, as in the distance past, by living P R E S- E N C E in His works, in a L I V E U N I V E R S E where every human creature is His child--son or daughter. When we learn to observe C R E A T I O N in the present tense, we find a clue as to how He (consistently) "created" in the distant past also, and likewise how we are being "judged." We cannot alter the melody of infinity. We can only be in discord with it and suffer the consequences.

L I F E is more R E A L than (transitory) lives, ego, or skin-deep face of a nation. And future evaluation of the present is U N R E A L--too late, irrelevant, useless. We need to live in "His I M A G E" now rather than in shadows of it.

Sincerely yours,

Dear Editor:

Re: Thinking in essence of peace. Note: This was not published.

James Reston is constructively optimistic in his December 24 "World Gets A Little Time To Think." He says ideologies are being modified, raw materials and mar- kets are now available without war. (Haven't they always been?) And then he con- cludes with the question of how "...to get beyond mere absence of war to construct- ive and cooperative peace for the whole human family."

I would say that solution to this problem requires access to "Why do we have foreign wars and why are we involved in them?" Reason: The P R O F I T M O T I V E of munitions manufacturers, ship-builders, etc. and American I N V E S T M E N T S abroad---according to a Senate investigation committee after WW II. (As reported to the NEA Convention, Denver Colo., June 1935 by Senator Gerald P. Nye, Chairman of that committee, and as published in the NEA Journal September 1935.)

Nevertheless 31 years later Senator Karl Mundt, for instance, was still expound- ing (to MEA conventioners, Moorhead, Minn.) "Competition and the profit motives are virtues!" That Nye report has since been discredited and the carnage continues, fired by predatory greed.

Actually we need cooperation and S E R V I C E, fired by creative L O V E, as motive--with reasonable profit only incidental. Some inkling of clues on this might be available from Japan and/or the European Common Market.

If we now lack acumen to lead the world, let us at least aspire to follow what is practical. Learning is a basic process of life. Otherwise we perish.

Problem solution is available if we dare go to the R O O T cause. And necessary change from the top down (as it occurs in Japan) is preferable to eventual bloody revolution.

Sincerely yours,

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"JOHNNIE T. DENNIS, HEAD SCIENCE DEPT., WALLA WALLA
HIGH SCHOOL, WALLA WALLA, WA., ADVISED HE RECEIVED FOLLOWING:
LETTER DATED MAY SIXTEEN, SEVENTYTWO, IN THE MAIL POSTMARKED
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REDLANDS, CA., NINE

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REAGAN, GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, CA.

"OH GOVERNOR! DEAR GOVERNOR!

"GRANTED THAT THE WALLACE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT IS
PATHETIC, IT'S JUST ONE MORE INSTANT OF THE DIRECTION THE

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"U.S. HAS TAKEN SINCE THE NINETEEN THIRTIES WITH ROOTS IN THE MORE DISTANT PAST. IT IS FUTILE BUCK-PASSING COWARDICE TO REGARD AUTHUR BREMER OR ANY OTHER MURDERER/ IN OUR COUNTRY, AS ANY ONE OTHER THAN US (US IS UNDERLINED). OUR PROBLEMS DO NOT BECOME SOLVED UNTIL WE FATHOM UNIVERSAL REALITY.

"IT WAS LAUGHABLE YOUR WHINE YEATERDAY, 'WHY DON'T THEY SIT DOWN AND TALK IT OVER?' YES, WHY DON'T 'THEY' TALK IT OVER!! PREACHING IS MUCH EASIER THAN PRACTICE. YOUR REMARK WAS IGNORANT, STUPID, RIDICULOUS, NAIVE.

"YOU ARE AFRAID THE POOR MIGHT GET SOMETHING THEY DO NOT DESERVE OR DID NOT EARN AND YET YOU SHOW NO CONCERN OVER FILCHING OF BILLIONS OUT OF THE BLOOD AND BONES OF FELLOW DASH HUMANS ON THE PART OF ECONOMIC 'ROYALTY' AND TAXES 'SHOULD HURT,' BUT ON WHOSE PART? HOW MUCH ARE YOUR (YOU UNDERLINED) EVER WILLING TO SIT DOWN AND TALK THESE MATTERS OVER WITH REASON??? YOU PUT THE DISILLUSIONED,

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"DISCHANTED, AND THE DISADAVANTAGED IN A BOAT WITH
'COMMUNISTS' AND INSIST THEY KNOW NO LANGUAGE BUT THE MAILED
FIST. WHAT ALTERNATIVE HAVE THEY THEN BUT TO GIVE YOU THE
SAME IN RETURN? UNFORTUNATELY OFTEN OTHERS LESS GUILTY GET
PUT INTO YOUR SELF DASH STYLED BOAT WITH YOU.

"ON THE MATTER OF SITTING DOWN TO TALK IT OVER I CAN
CITE YOU PERSONAL EXPERIENCE DATING BACK TO NINETEEN
THIRTYNINE AND BEFORE. THE ENCLOSED PACKET OF PAGES CAN GIVE
YOU AT LEAST AN INKLING OF SUCH EFFORT ON MY PART - - MOSTLY
WITH OFFICIALDOM IN CHARGE JUST LIKE YOU ARE NOW. CAN YOU
NOW CONDESCEND TO SIT DOWN AND COMMUNICATE WITH ME AS A
CITIZEN OF YOUR GREAT STATE? WHY DON'T YOU EITHER PUT UP
OR SHUT UP BEFORE SOME AS SICK (SICK UNDERLINED) OF YOU
AS I HAVE BECOME PUTS A BULLET BETWEEN YOUR TEETH? CORDIALLY
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"P.S. ON BASIS OF PAST EXPERIENCE I SEE THE PAST FIFTEEN
MINUTES OF MY TIME TO HAVE BEEN WASTED BECAUSE IN ALL
PROBABILITY THE GOVERNOR WILL NEVER SEE THIS LETTER. YOUR
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"AIDES THAT SHIELD AND PROTECT HIM FROM THE EXTERIOR HAVE NO ACCESS OR CAPABILITY TO SAVE HIM, FROM HIS OWN INBRED INTERNAL ROT AND, SOT IT GOES, ADIOS.

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"DENNIS ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] IS UNKNOWN TO HIM AND HE ASSUMES THAT HE RECEIVED A COPY OF THIS LETTER IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT HE IS AN EDITORIAL CONSULTANT FOR THE PHI DELTA KAPPEN, AN EDUCATIONAL MAGAZINE AND HAS RECEIVED PAST PUBLICITY IN THAT HE WAS THE 'NATIONAL TEACHER OF THE YEAR' IN NINETEEN SEVENTY. DENNIS MADE AVAILABLE THE ABOVE LETTER AND SEVEN PAGES OF MIMEOGRAPHED MATERIAL THAT ACCOMPANIED THE LETTER.

AUSA, YAKIMA, WASH., ADVISED JURISDICTION IN THIS MATTER WOULD LIE IN SACRAMENTO, CA. U.S. SECRET SERVICE, SPOKANE, WASH., ADVISED.

"LETTER BEING FORWARDED TO FBI LAB AND SACRAMENTO BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATIONS.

SACRAMENTO PRESENT USA. CONSIDER ADVISING GOVERNOR REAGAN'S OFFICE."

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ABOVE LETTER WAS GIVEN TO EDWARD V. HICKEY, JR.,
DIRECTOR OF SECURITY FOR GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN.

MR. HICKEY ADVISED THAT HE INTENDS ON BEHALF OF THE
GOVERNOR AND THE STATE OF CALIF. TO INTERVIEW SUBJECT
AT REDLANDS, CA., AND SAID HE OR PERSONS DESIGNATED TO
HANDLE THE INTERVIEW WOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH THE LOS ANGELES
OFFICE.

LOS ANGELES SHOULD PRESENT THIS MATTER TO THE USA TO
DETERMINE IF SUBJECT SHOULD BE PROSECUTED.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED SACRAMENTO,

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CHANGED, [REDACTED] RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR, STATE
OF CALIFORNIA - VICTIM, EXTORTION.

TITLE FORMERLY CARRIED AS, [REDACTED] EXTORTION"
AND IS CHANGED TO ADD THE NAME OF RONALD REAGAN, GOVERNOR,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS VICTIM.

RE SACRAMENTO TELETYPE TO ACTING DIRECTOR, JUNE TWO
LAST.

ON JUNE THREE LAST, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY,
LOS ANGELES, ADVISED CONTENTS OF LETTER SET OUT IN REFERENCED
TELETYPE DID NOT CONSTITUTE VIOLATION OF FEDERAL EXTORTION
STATUTE. US SECRET SERVICE AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
ADVISED OF FACTS CONTAINED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE AND OF
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OPINION.

ON JUNE FIVE INSTANT, DENNIS WILLIAMS, CALIFORNIA STATE

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POLICE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED OF ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OPINION. WILLIAMS STATES HE INTERVIEWED [REDACTED] AT REDLANDS, CALIFORNIA ON JUNE THREE LAST. STATES [REDACTED] ADMITTED WRITING LETTER TO VICTIM AND FROM INTERVIEW, WILLIAMS IS OF OPINION [REDACTED] IS EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED, BUT DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE OF VIOLENT NATURE. REDLANDS POLICE DEPARTMENT IS AWARE OF ALL FACTS. WILLIAMS STATES HIS OFFICE IS TAKING NO OTHER ACTION BEYOND INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]

LOS ANGELES INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING SUBJECT.

SACRAMENTO NOTIFY ED HICKEY OF GOVERNOR REAGAN'S OFFICE OF OPINION OF ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES WILL CONDUCT NO OTHER INVESTIGATION AND WILL SUBMIT LHM. - P -

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM SEATTLE (9-NEW) 4P

Mr. Tolson_____
Mr. Felt_____
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JOHNNIE T. DENNIS, HEAD SCIENCE DEPARTMENT, WALLA WALLA
HIGH SCHOOL, WALLA WALLA, WASHINGTON, ADVISED HE RECEIVED FOLLOWING
LETTER DATED MAY SIXTEEN, SEVENTYTWO IN THE MAIL POSTMARKED
REDLANDS, CALIFORNIA.

REDLANDS, CA. NINE TWO

THREE SEVEN THREE. RE: TALK VS PRACTICE. HON. RONALD REAGAN,
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA, SACRAMENTO, CA.

OH GOVERNOR! DEAR GOVERNOR!

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GRANTED THAT THE WALLACE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT IS PATHETIC,
IT'S JUST ONE MORE INSTANT OF THE DIRECTION THE U.S. HAS TAKEN
SINCE THE NINETEEN THIRTIES WITH ROOTS IN THE MORE DISTANT PAST.
IT IS FUTILE BUCK-PASSING COWARDICE TO REGARD ARTHUR BREMER OR
ANY OTHER MURDERER IN OUR COUNTRY, AS ANY ONE OTHER THAN US (US
IS UNDERLINED). OUR PROBLEMS DO NOT BECOME SOLVED UNTIL WE FATHOM
UNIVERSAL REALITY.

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Has advised Gov Reagan and
furnished info to LA & handle
USA and Redlands, Calif. to send
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IT WAS LAUGHABLE YOUR WHINE YESTERDAY, "WHY DON'T THEY SIT DOWN AND TALK IT OVER?" YES, WHY DON'T "THEY" TALK IT OVER!! PREACHING IS MUCH EASIER THAN PRACTICE. YOUR REMARK WAS IGNORANT, STUPID, RIDICULOUS, NAIVE.

YOU ARE AFRAID THE POOR MIGHT GET SOMETHING THEY DO NOT DESERVE OR DID NOT EARN AND YET YOU SHOW NO CONCERN OVER FILCHING OF BILLIONS OUT OF THE BLOOD AND BONES OF FELLOW DASH HUMANS ON THE PART OF ECONOMIC "ROYALTY" AND TAXES "SHOULD HURT," BUT ON WHOSE PART? HOW MUCH ARE YOU (YOU UNDERLINED) EVER WILLING TO SIT DOWN AND TALK THESE MATTERS OVER WITH REASON??? YOU PUT THE DISILLUSIONED, DISENCHANTED, AND THE DISADVANTAGED IN A BOAT WITH "COMMUNISTS" AND INSIST THEY KNOW NO LANGUAGE BUT THE MAILED FIST. WHAT ALTERNATIVE HAVE THEY THEN BUT TO GIVE YOU THE SAME IN RETURN? UNFORTUNATELY OFTEN OTHERS LESS GUILTY GET PUT INTO YOUR SELF DASH STYLED BOAT WITH YOU.

ON THE MATTER OF SITTING DOWN TO TALK IT OVER I CAN CITE YOUR PERSONAL EXPERIENCE DATING BACK TO NINETEEN THIRTYNINE AND BEFORE. THE ENCLOSED PACKET OF PAGES CAN GIVE YOU AT LEAST AN INKLING OF

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SUCH EFFORT ON MY PART - - MOSTLY WITH OFFICIALDOM IN CHARGE JUST
LIKE YOU ARE NOW. CAN YOU NOW CONDESCEND TO SIT DOWN AND COMMUNICATE
WITH ME AS A CITIZEN OF YOUR GREAT STATE? WHY DON'T YOU EITHER
PUT UP OR SHUT UP BEFORE SOMEONE AS SICK (SICK UNDERLINED) OF YOU
AS I HAVE BECOME PUTS A BULLET BETWEEN YOUR TEETH? CORDIALLY
YOURS [REDACTED]

P.S. ON BASIS OF PAST EXPERIENCE I SEE THE PAST FIFTEEN
MINUTES OF MY TIME TO HAVE BEEN WASTED BECAUSE IN ALL PROBABILITY
THE GOVERNOR WILL NEVER SEE THIS LETTER. YOUR AIDES THAT SHIELD
AND PROTECT HIM FROM THE EXTERIOR HAVE NO ACCESS OR CAPABILITY TO
SAVE HIM, FROM HIS OWN INBRED INTERNAL ROT AND, SO IT GOES,
ADIOS.

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DENNIS ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] IS UNKNOWN TO HIM AND HE
ASSUMES THAT HE RECEIVED A COPY OF THIS LETTER IN VIEW OF THE FACT
THAT HE IS AN EDITORIAL CONSULTANT FOR THE PHI DELTA KAPPEN, AN
EDUCATIONAL MAGAZINE AND HAS RECEIVED PAST PUBLICITY IN THAT HE
WAS THE "NATIONAL TEACHER OF THE YEAR" IN NINETEEN SEVENTY. DENNIS
MADE AVAILABLE THE ABOVE LETTER AND SEVEN PAGES OF MIMEOGRAPHED
MATERIAL THAT ACCOMPANIED THE LETTER.

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AUSA, YAKIMA, WASHINGTON, ADVISED JURISDICTION IN THIS MATTER
WOULD LIE IN SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA. U.S. SECRET SERVICE,
SPOKANE, WASHINGTON, ADVISED.

LETTER BEING FORWARDED TO FBI LABORATORY AND SACRAMENTO BY
SEPARATE COMMUNICATIONS.

SACRAMENTO PRESENT USA. CONSIDER ADVISING GOVERNOR
REAGAN'S OFFICE.

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~~CORRECTION: SAC, SACRAMENTO SHOULD ALSO BE UNDR THE OFFICES
SENT TO.~~

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CC: Mr. G. [unclear]

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Date: 8/2/72

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-4875) (P)

RE: aka
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OO: Los Angeles

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Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of a LHM, two of which are attached to FD-376, reflecting results of investigation conducted in this matter. Enclosed for Sacramento are two copies of the same LHM.

Copy of this LHM is being furnished to U.S. Secret Service, Los Angeles.

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AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA: Will advise appropriate state authorities.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will confirm prosecutive opinion of AUSA by separate communication.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535
August 2, 1972

Director
United States Secret Service
Department of the Treasury
Washington, D. C. 20220

Also Known As
RE: RONALD REAGAN - VICTIM; EXTORTION

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Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☐ Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2. ☒ Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3. ☐ Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4. ☐ Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5. ☐ Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6. ☐ Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
7. ☐ Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.

Photograph ☐ has been furnished ☐ enclosed ☐ is not available. may be available through California Men's Colony, San Luis Obispo, California.

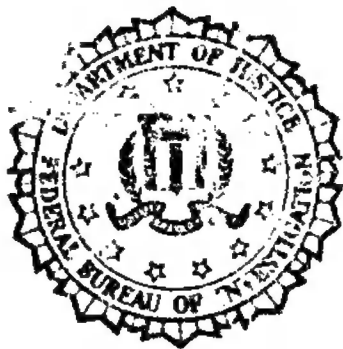
Very truly yours,

L. Patrick Gray, III
Acting Director

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s))
U. S. Secret Service, Los Angeles (RM)

Enclosure(s) (Upon removal of classified enclosures, if any, this transmittal form becomes UNCLASSIFIED.)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California

August 2, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to
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CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN -
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EXTORTION

Robert Takahaski, Records Officer, California Men's Colony, San Luis Obispo, California, made available a copy of a letter which they had intercepted from inmate [REDACTED] Number [REDACTED] addressed to the Select Committee on Prison Reform and Rehabilitation, California State Assembly, Sacramento, California.

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The letter states in part as follows:

"In [REDACTED] I was committed to state prison by the superior court of San Diego County for the offense of [REDACTED]. I was 23 years old at that time. I have been in prison ever since and today at 29 years of age, I have made up my mind to have 'revenge' someday.... My next 'crime' will make up for these past 6 years. (After all, I am being made to serve a sentence for something equivalent to 1st degree murder so I should be entitled to commit an offense of at least that nature.)

".....bear in mind that 4 psychiatrists stated in their report to the Adult Authority on [REDACTED], that 'I would deteriorate mentally if I weren't discharged immediately....' Bear it in mind because their report means that I cannot be held legally responsible for any revenge I seek in the future. Another words -- I have been given a 'green light....'

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"In summary, this letter is not a request for your help. It is merely to advise you and the 'committee' you represent that when the Adult Authority do get around to signing my release papers sometime within the next four years -- they will surely sign someone's death warrant. I now have a horrible urge to kill and I daresay that someday I will satisfy it. (Have you ever been able to just 'feel' something? Well, I feel that sooner or later I will commit murder!) I just am not going to rest until I get justice. And note that here I use the word 'justice' rather than revenge. Perhaps the one thing that really convinces me that I must do something in--retaliation is that psychiatric report. It is a lot easier when one knows they cannot be held responsible. Now, one wonders. What is it going to take? The assassination of the Governor? The assassination of a few members of the Adult Authority? (That would be more appropriate, wouldn't it!) Just what? And you see -- not even I can answer that question until it's too late...."

[redacted] was received by the California State Department of Corrections on [redacted]. He is serving two concurrent sentences of six months to ten years each for [redacted]. No parole date has been set, but he is to appear before a Parole Hearing Board in [redacted].

[redacted] is described as follows:

Name
Alias
Birth Data

Race
Sex
Height
Weight

[redacted]
Ohio
White
Male
5'8"
135 pounds

[redacted]
Also Known As [redacted];
CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN -
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Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Ruddy
Build	Medium
Marital Status	Single
Education	Eleven years
FBI Number	[redacted]
Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation Number	[redacted]

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On August 2, 1972, Assistant United States Attorney Brian J. O'Neill, Los Angeles, California, advised that he would decline prosecution in this matter as it is not suitable for prosecution in Federal court due to [redacted] long-term incarceration and the fact that the threat was not directed to any specific individual.

On August 2, 1972, Special Agent William Richardson, United States Secret Service, Los Angeles, California, was advised of the above information.

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